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TWENTY-TWO PAGES

TAX ON LUXURIES FINALLY ABOLISHED

Drydock Contract Will

Be Let Without Delay,

Hon. S.F. Tolmie States

Tenders for the construction of the new Esquimalt Drydock will be opened by the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa about the middle of this week and the contract for

the work probably will be let without delay, according to a

telegram received yesterday from Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minis-

ter of Agriculture, by J. L. Beckwith, President of the Vic-

his wire that the Minister of Public Works, Hon. F. B. Mc-Curdy, is in the Maritime Provinces at present but will re-

turn to the Capital about the middle of this week. Tenders

for the dock, which were submitted on December 9, will be opened immediately upon the Minister's return and will have the early consideration of the Cabinet. Dr. Tolmie fully expects that the contract will be let without delay.

Mayor Gale, accompanied by members of the Legislature, Van-

Mayor Gale Presents

GERMANY INCREASING

Women Plead For Retention Dr. Few Will Address Can-of Milk Supply adian Club on Politics

Dr. Tolmie, who is now on his way to Victoria, states in

Constantine Given Ovation on Reaching Capital of Greece

Arrival of Former King at Athens Compared By Ad mirers to Napoleon's Return From Elba; Allied Ministers Noticeably Absent.

Athens, Dec. 20.—Amid the thunder of cannon, the buzz of circling aeroplanes and the roaring cheers of a great throng, Constantine of Greece entered Athens yesterday. His arrival was compared by his admirers to Napoleon's return from Elba, and tears of joy were seen running down the cheeks of people swarming near his carriage.

Shortly after alighting from the railway train, Constantine drove to the Cathedral, where a magnificent service was given, all the bishops in Athens participating. It was noticeable that no foreign Ministers were present during the welcoming ceremonies. The arrival of Constantine was not marred by any incidents.

REPLIES TO PREMIER

Trotzky Says Soviet Cannot Afford to Disarm

The approach of the Royal train was signalled by the arrival at the tiny terminus of the railway near Place de la Concorde of three royal carriages which stopped in front of the station at 11 o'clock. The King's carriage was drawn by six black horses driven by three uniformed out-

griage was drawn by six black force driven by three uniformed outsiders and was draped in royal puries. In the throng of villagers, wearing national costumes of white skirl.

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dence. Cabinet members arrived just before the train pulled into the station and were followed by Queen Mother Olga and Prince and Princess Christopher.

Tears in Eyes.

When Constantine emerged from his railway carriage he bowed salutations to the crowd and tears were seen in his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those near him his eyes as he said to those counsels of goodwill, which you those counsels of goodwill, which you will which the Prime Minister regarding a truce in Ireland, has replied to those counsels of goodwill, which you will hat the door had been closed "to those counsels of goodwill, which you will which the Prime Minister regarding a truce in Ireland, has replied to those counsels of goodwill, which you will which the Prime Minister regarding a truce in Ireland, has replied to those counsels of goodwill, which you wind hat the door had been closed "to those counsels of goodwill, which you winded at the beginning of this correspondence."

In his rejoinder, Pather O'Planagan and says: "We agree that two things are desirable, first peace, then conciliation. It is only now constitution in your attack on the liberty of the Irish people."

Preaceful Organization."

Proceeding to argue that the Sinn Fein is a peaceful crganization reacting only to violent attacks upon it, Faither O'Flanagan continues.

"Remove the cause and the effects will cease automatically."

The we declared he would follow the policy of his faither and cultivate the policy

CHRISTMAS TREE ACTIVITY CEASES

Charity Fund Reaches Total of Over \$7,000

Having collected \$7,037.25 to assist the poor of the city this Christmas, members of the Rotary Club this morning completed arrangements for the big Christmas tree which they are holding for unfortunate children this afternoon. The tree, while it will afford Christmas cheer for children who otherwise would have no Christmas at all, is not the most important part of the Club's relief work. Practically all the money collected—\$1,000 more than the original objective set—will be spent to purchase necessities and substantial relief for families in distress. The relief this year is to be distributed by means of scrip, which will entitle its holder to goods at certain stores. In this way confusion will be avoided and those in need will get the things that they really require.

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SEEK WORK HERE FOR UNEMPLOYED

Ottawa Told Situation "Ominously Acute" Here Now

Many Relief Plans Under Discussion by Citizen Body

While awaiting word from Ottawa regarding the construction of the new Esquimalt drydock, committees formed at a meeting of representatives of public organizations Saturday, are busy at present unemployment situation here.

A meeting of the committee which is considering ways and means will be held at five o'clock this afternoon and any ideas advanced and endorsed then will be recommended to a general meeting to-morrow afternoon. To-morrow afternoon's meeting also will hear the report of a delegation which will meet Premier Oliver and his Cabinet to-morrow morning to ascertain exactly what the Government intends to do with the \$250,000 it has voted for use in relieving unemployment.

Saturday night Mayor Porter, ac ng on the instructions of the gener meeting earlier in the day, dispatch

The Resolution.

Suggest Many Plans.
ous plans of relief, suggested general meeting Saturday, will (Concluded on page 21.)

BASSOFF TO EXPLATE CRIME ON SCAFFOLD

Bellvue Murderer to Be

Hanged on Wednesday

Lethbridge, Dec. 20.—Tom Bassoff, murdere of Corporal Usher of the Mounted Police and Constable Balley, and Bassoff a bandit gang in Belevue on August 2 last, goes to the eastfold on Wednesday morning of civid from a Mayor. It is stated, declined in on Wednesday morning of divide from the police and Cabinet. The Situation is serious by Sheriff Young to let the law take the by Sheriff Young to let the law take by Sheriff Young to l

ON RUSSIAN FRONTS NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

All changes of advertisements must-be delivered to the office of The Times before 8 p.m. on the day previous to publication. Copy submitted after that time will be held until the following day. This requirement is necessary in order that delay in the production of the paper may be avoided, as our patrons desire to obtain their copies as early as possible each day. This will be as much in the interest of the advertisers as in that of the paper, and we will appreciate their co-operation in facilitating the improvement.

The Times business office is open daily until 8 p.m.

Surrounded By Police

Dublin, Dec. 20.—Parties of the military and police, sitting out in boats, surrounded the main island of the Aran group at the entrance to Galway Bay early Sunday morning to carry out a search. Two men were shot in attempting to escape, three others wounded and several prisoners were taken, according to brief official messages received in Dublin to-day.

Whether a fight occurred in securing the prisoners was not stated in the messages. No reference was made to any casualties to the Crown forces. It is understood that Inishmann Island, which presumably is the one which was surrounded, was used by the Sinn

presumably is the one which was surrounded, was used by the Sinn Feiners for prisoners taken in Galway. Several months ago the police attempted a landing to rescue the prisoners, but their boat was stoned off.

MARLBOROUGH WILL **RESIDE IN PARIS**

toria Board of Trade.

UP BY ARMED MAN AT MISSION DEPOT

London, Dec. 20.—The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt, who was recently granted divorce from her husband, the Duke of Marlborough, has decided to leave England permanently and will probably make Paris her future home, according to The Daily Mail. For many years the Duchess has given a cup to an organization as a prize and it was announced Saturday when this year's cup was presented that the gift would not be made in future.

LORDS AGREE TO IRISH HOME RULE

London, Dec. 20. — All the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Irish Home Rule Bill were agreed to by the House of Lords to-day after a brief debate.

SWEEPING ROUNDUP OF GOTHAM CROOKS

Relentless Crusade; Many Caught in Dragnet

New York, Dec. 20. — The most sweeping roundup of crooks and suspects in the history of New York was under full swing to-day by the police force of 11.000 men, augmented by 4.800 reserves in an effort to stem the wave of crime that startled the metropolis last week. More than 150 persons were caught in the dragnet late last night, but no important arrests were made the police said.

Police Commissioner Enright, who is in personal charge of the drive, issued the order "Drag out every crook and arrest him on sight." The most dangerous characters will be rounded up at the headquarters. If no charge can be proved against them, they will be ordered to fake the first train out of town or go to jail for an indefinite

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The crusade which is being carried

The crusade which is being carried on with relentless vigor, accumulated force over Sunday when business was virtually at a standstiff.

Only routine petty crimes were reported overnight, the authorities claimed. The city is divided into zones where special details are delving into every nook and corner. Squads of police in automobiles continued to patrol strategic points in the financial and shopping district.

Citizens took steps to supplement the work of the police. A number of organizations called meetings for today to discuss the situation and to take council as to whether they should arm themselves.

Another Murder.

The over-Sunday lult in New York's wave of crime which last week caused many citizens to arm in self-protection was rudely shattered early to-day when two armed men descended on the seamen's mission and made their escape after having added another murder and robberty to the long list of recent atrocities.

Taking advantage of the fact that the mission house is nearly descrited in the early morning, the two thugs, entering unobserved, suddenly confronted the mission clerk with revolvers and forced him to open the office safe and surrender its contents of about \$400.

At this juncture James Russell, fifty years of age, entered the office. He attempted to interfere, and was shot dead. Relief Plan To Cabinet

couver aldermen and citizens, came to Victoria to day and placed before Premier Oliver and the members of his Cabinet a definite plan for solving unemployment trouble in Vancouver.

The conference adjourned at noon so that the Government could consider the scheme. Mayor Gale and his delegates will meet the

Next Monday The Times will begin the publication of a serial story entitled "Bull Dog Drummond," by Cyril McNeile, a brilliant young English writer who under the nom de plume of "Sapper" has won high fame as a novelist in Great Britain and America.

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AT CLUB TO-MORROW

Government Issues Order Abolishing **BILL AMENDMENTS**

Imposition of Tax Said to Have Achieved Object of Curtailing Extravagance; Specified Articles Not Affected; Sales Tax Remains In Force.

Tax On Luxuries

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—(By Canadian Press)—The luxury tax is abolished on and after to-day; the tax specially imposed last session ceasing to operate. The abolition applies to all luxury taxes adopted in the last budget except those on spirituous and alcoholic liquors, medicated wines, patented and proprietary preparations containing alcohol, lime and fruit juices, spirits and strong waters, perfumery and toilet preparations, playing cards and confectionery. All luxury taxes, except those mentioned, are abolished, whether paid by merchants, manufacturers or importers.

Sales Tax In Effect. Sales Tax In Effect.

The sales tax remains in full force and effect. The Government, in abolishing the taxes, has proceeded by Order-in-Council passed under authority of Section 92 of the Consolidated Revenue and Audit

Act, which empowers the

PROGRESS MADE Conference Hopes to Complete Work by Christmas Brussels, Dec. 20.—Private conversations between Allied and German innancial experts regarding the man financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations of the conversations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the conversations of the conver

remations between Allied and German financial experts regarding the amount Germany might be expected to pay the Allies in reparations continued here this morning. The Conference therefore did not meet until noon. Delegates to the Conference expressed the hope they would be able to complete their work before Christmas and indicated unexpected progress had been made. The task originally assigned the Conference was to gather facts which would be the basis of later action, but it is expected that the Allied delegates will be able to report German suggestions as to reparation and their own estimates of the highest figure Germany can and will pay.

NAVAL SUGGESTION

INTERESTS LAPAN

Argued Disarmament Responsibility Rests With States

With this idea in mind, the public had practically stopped buying, with the result that factories in many special lines could not operate, and their organizations were seriously dislocated. It appeared to the Government, therefore, that immediate action was necessary in the interest of employees, manufacturers and the general public.

Tokio, Dec. 20.—The Japanese press is manifesting great interest in the proposal of Senator Borah of Idaho for a tri-partite haval agreement under which the United States. Great Britain and Japan would piedge themselves to limitation of naval armaments. In general the newspapers favor the idea, but regard Japan's present programme as a legitimate one.

The Nichi Nichi Shimbun holds that Japan's geographical and international position does not permit her to indulge in disarmament but that eventually the world situation will necessitate a naval agreement. If the United States reduces her armaments the others will follow, says this Journal, and it argues that the responsibility for disarmament rests upon America.

FLAW FOUND IN

EXCHANGE SITUATION STOPS BIG PROJECT

Brockville, Ont., Dec. 20.—Because of the unfavorable situation in international exchange, the Laing Produce & Storage Company, which had planned the erection of a half million dollar addition to their plant here, has been obliged to postpone the project.

Magistrate Jay Declares Order Affecting Office Help Does

WAGE BOARD ORDER

Berlin, Dec. 20.—Surrender to the Allies of \$80,000 milk cows, which have been demanded under the terms of the Versailles Treaty, would have disastrous results in Germany, says a letter to the women of France from a committee German women. Continued deprivation of the German people of the milk supply represented by these cows would result in weakening public stamina and individual resistance and therefore operate to reduce the ability of Germany to fulfull treaty obligations through necessary production, it is said. For nearly six years the populations of Germany cities have resulted to a position of close association with the Turkish Govern.

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For nearly six years the populations of German cities have not had milk, the letter asserts, and owing to this fact the death rate from tuberculosis has doubled since 1913 and 38,000 more children died in 1913 than in 1913. In Prussia alone there has been an increase in child mortality of 100 per cent.

ANGUS SHOPS TO BE CLOSED FOR OVERHAUL

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Notices have been posted at the Angus shops of the C. P. R. here that the works would be closed down from December 23 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to hard the members of the Women's Candian Club are cordially invited to hard the members of the Women's Candian Club are cordially invited to hard the members of the Women's Candian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus shops of the C. P. R. here that the works would be closed down from December 23 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus shops of the C. P. R. here that the works would be closed down from December 23 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus shops of the C. P. R. here that the works would be closed down from December 23 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus shops of the Women December 25 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus shops of the Women December 25 to January 14 for the annual over-adian Club are cordially invited to have been posted at the Angus and the members of the Women Club.

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BOY SCOUT TROOP UNIQUE IN CANADA

Halifax Organization Composed of Blind Students

the Fifth Halifax Boy Scout troop are all students at the School for the Slind here. The troop is unique in Canada, and there is only one similar

lind here. The troop is unique in lanada, and there is only one similar roup on the North American continent. Haligenians often see the Effth", swinging along the road to he woods with their kit bags full of grub" and their mouths full of sons. Ind feel happier.

Of all the innovations in the work for the blind of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland, introduced at Sir Frederick Fraser's famous school at Halifax, none has proved more immediately and satisfactorily successful than the formation of the Fifth Halifax troop. It was discovered on its establishment in October of last year that there would not be the slightest difficulty in following out the scout programme practically in its entirety, and the boys took to scout craft like ducks to water. Some of the work such as basket-making, leatherworking, the study of music and so on corresponded to subjects listed on the school curriculum, and simultaneously with the passage of second class tests badges for proficiency in work along these lines appeared on the arms of members of the troop.

The Scout drill was "pie" for the "Pifth." In spare hours the "clackety-clack" of buzzers sending "Morse" is heard in the school halls. On their hikes to the open the Scouts even learned how to light fires with safety and cook dinners to satisfy their husky appetities. Scout Master Charley Allen is more than delighted with the progress his boys are making, and before Winter is over, he says, there will be some first class Scouts in the troop.

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AS POLISH PLOT

Lithuanians Apprehensive Regarding Savinkoff

Kovno, Lithuanian, Dec. 20.—The Lithuanian Government has denounced as a Polish imperialistic plot the effort of an anti-Bolshevist force under the command of Boris Savinkoff to seize Minsk, the most important city in White Russia. This venture is regarded by the Lithuanian officials with apprehension. They say that they regard this action as an effort to extend Polish territory far to the eastward at the expense of the Lithuanians and White Russians.

pense of the Lithuanians and White Russians.

Some of the Peles acting with Savinoff are said to have been sympathetic with the seizure of Vilna by General Zellgouski, who proclaimed the Middle Lithuanian Government which, the Lithuanians claim, is merely a Polish plan to hold Vilna. Russian Bolshevists apparently are keeping their hands off for the time being and appear to be content with seeing the Poles in conflict with their various small neighbors and jeering at the failure of the League of Nations to check Polish territorial ambitions.

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White Russia, the undefined, hazy area east of Lithuania and Letvia is a land of mystery. In various treaties the Bolsheviks have insisted upon the recognition of its independence. Its western boundary has been defined definitely in the treaties between the Bolsheviks, Lithuania and Letvia but its other boundaries are shrouded in uncertainty, and it stands as a fluid barrier, regarded here as menacing to

M'MASTER ASSAILS **MEIGHEN POLICY**

Protection Criticized by Member For Brome

Oakville. Ont., Dec. 20.—Andrew R. McMaster, Liberal M. P. for Brome, Que., in an address here Saturday night, criticized the protection policy of Premier Meighen. Mr. McMaster said the Premier-prided himself upon being a bold statesman, prepared to tell even unpalatable truths, but in a protectionist speech at Sherbrooke, Que. he had not said anything about the possibility of a reduction in duties after Sir Henry Drayton's Tariff Commission would have finished its investigation, while in Winnipeg, he had "uttered the plous hope" that when the investigation was over, duties might be reduced.

Mr. McMaster characterized as an illogical procedure the proposal of the Federal Government to maintain a protective tariff and at the same time spend public money on the creation of a mercantile marine. Enumerating principles which McMaster shid should govern the tariff in Canada, he said:
"Consider the high cost of living

"Consider the high cost of living and a sensible reduction in the same; the energies and capital of the people must be free so that they may be applied to the obtaining of the greatest economic return possible, and the people must be freed from the bonds imposed upon them by trusts and combines; the question of revenue must be considered—the need for revenue—and reasonable opportunities must be given to those who had lived under an unsound economic system, to adjust themselves to the new conditions."

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Touching upon Hon. N. W. Rowell's criticism of the secret diplomacy of European statesmen in connection with the Council of the League of Nations, Mr. McMaster accused the Dominion Government of having been guilty of undue secrecy concerning its attitude on Article 10 of the League of Nations' pact, until Hon. C. J. D. herty, Minister of Justice, had revealed the attitude of Canada thereon at Geneva. Mr. McMaster referred to the Federal Government's refusal to produce all the correspondence which had passed between Ottawa and Washington over the proposed appointment of a Canadian ambassador in Washington, and quoted the old adage that "people in glass houses should never throw stones."

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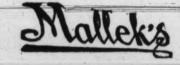
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Foster's Fur Sale

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Black Fox Ties \$10.50
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Handsome Pony Coat—Natural White Fox Neck Piece Sale price. \$120 Fox Neck Pieces in taupe. brown or black. \$98.00

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At \$1.95, \$3.95 and \$7.75



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We have centered our entire efforts to present such a large and extremely varied showing of smartly-trimmed hats and at such prices well worth the serious consideration even of the most careful buyers.

Group No. 1—Hats formerly priced up	@1 OF
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Group No. 3-Hats formerly priced up to \$18.00. Christmas selling

The South African Plume Shop

Ladies' and Gentlemen's

-\$37.50 <

Ready for Your Selection

Exclusive New Patterns Now



Toy till Christmas.

ARE CHEAP IN HAYTI

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There is a hotel in Fort au Prince, Dec. 20.—Labor and the square meals and the best, that charges only \$4 a day for a room and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square meals. True, the rooms are small, with the and three square denies, when one, according to the tike an eight-course feast. They usually mild Winter weather is mathing it possible for the birdmen at the province by the sea in the interests of town planning people and the Federal Hydrostatic Survey. Before the colder-days of January and February set in and freeze the lakes and rivers, Major A. B. Shearer says it is exceedingly unpleasant to land in a seaplane on ice, and he is in command here—the "xoom" of Eastern passage propellers will be heard in various parts of Nova Scotia.

A few days ago the camera at the fair station took a flight with Major Shearer and gave Halifax and Dartmouth districts the aerial "up and down." A film of one hundred pictures was taken, and the result should be of great value to the Halifax Town Planning Commission.

Orders from Ottawa will take the birdmen over Yarmouth Harbor, over the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Winds or, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the sand dunes at Jogsins, the mud flats on the Avon River near Windsor, the san

Unhappy is the woman who has lost her list of donors of last year's Christmas gifts.

CASTLENAU ASKS IF GERMANY DISARMED

Lively Debate Staged French Chamber

Paris, Dec. 20.-The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the Government, 493 to 65, after discussing the resignation of Andre Lefevre, the War Minister.

General Castlenau, president of th Army Commission, interpellating Premier Leygues on the resignation

"We ask the Premier is Germany disarmed, or in a fair way to disarmament?" If not, why are they waiting to perform the operations which this Chamber has been requesting unceasingly the last year?

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"We must end, at least temporarily, the military power of Germany, and end it for as long a period as possible. If Germany has not been disarmed she must be disarmed immediately. Germany is a most troublesome power, and is opposing resistance to the execution of the treaty. The reparations question is unsettled, al-

whole Chamber applauded General Castlenau, even the Socialists joining in.

Premier Leygues replying, said:
"The military bill which caused the resignation of M. Lefevre had been endorsed by Marshals Foch, Joffre and Petain, and Generals Mangin, Foyole, Franchet, Debny and Weygand. These eminent chiefs, to whom we owe victory, see no danger for the national defence in the Government bill."

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The Premier said Germany had surrendered 30,000 guns and destroyed 28,000; surrendered 55,000 machine guns and destroyed 50,000; surrendered 97,000 machine-gun tubes and destroyed 52,000,000; surrendered 2,500,000 rifes and destroyed 2,500,000.

France's position is secure against German aggression, M. Leygues declared, and France also is capable of enforcing execution of the treaty.

LABOR AND LIVING ARE CHEAP IN HAYTI

women.

The best, however, is in sharp contrast with the worst, for the laborer gets twenty cents a day, and thousands of natives live only on fruit that grows wild everywhere, the year round, like the roses.

HE COULD SWING AN

That's How Well Alexander

That's How Well Alexander

Meams Feels Since Tanlac
Put Him in Shape

"if there was ever a day in my life
when I felt better than I do now I
can't remember it." said Alexander
Mearns, Wadhams, B. C., well-known
timber man, recently,
"At the time I began taking Tanlac I was hardly able to drag myself
about, but now I feel so good I actually believe I could swing an axe
with any of my men, and then not
feel worn out at the end of the day.
"For six years I suffered with indigestion. No matter whether I ate
much or little, after meals my food
soured, I felt bloated and all stuffed
up, and had terrible pains through
my chest. Sometimes it was so bad
I could scarcely breathe, and my
heart palpitated until it alarmed me.
"My back hurt so bad at times the
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When Appetite Fails And Health Declines Follow This Suggestion

REQUIRES ONLY A COUPLE OF SMALL TABLETS AFTER MEALS TO FIX YOU UP AGAIN.

A New Blood-Food, Called Ferroz Sure to Restore You Quickly.

"About three years ago," says Mr. Meehan, "I had the Grippe, which left me in a very run-down condition that

Demonstration Took Place in Constantinople

of former King Constantine of Greece aboard the cruiser Averoff on his way to Athens became known here, the Greeks of Constantinople mani-fested their strong feeling against

VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

Courtenay.—The farmers along the Cumberland Road have formed themselves into an association and have called that particular part of the Comox valley, Arden. The settling up of the farming land in the valley along the Cumberland road to Courtney has proceeded very rapidly and solidly during the past year. The meeting of those interested was held at the house of Mr. Bruce Towler and there were eleven present. The immediate purpose of the meeting was to form an association to get a buil from the government and it was formally moved and seconded that

I could scarcely breathe, and my heart palpitated until it alarmed me. "My back hurt so bad at times the sweat just rolled off me. I was so nervous I could scarcely sleep at all, and always felt so tired and worn out it is a mystery to me how I kept going.

"But Tanlac went right after my troubles, and now I haven't a trace of stomach trouble left. I am eating three rousing meals a day, and every-thing agrees with me so well I have gained ten pounds in weight.

"The pains have disappeared, from my back, my nerves are quiet, so that I sleep like a log every night, and I can go ahead with my work better than I could in years, and still feel good. There's something about Tanlac that certainly does the work."

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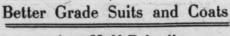
This Store Will Remain Open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Evenings Until 9 o'Clock

For the convenience of holiday shoppers this store will remain open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, closing Saturday and Monday, December 25 and 27. Let us impress upon you the advantages of EARLY MORNING SHOPPING.

Why Nota Gift of a Suit Coat or a Smart Dress

When it is a question of remembering mother, sister or any other member of the family one is naturally more anxious to please, and here is the answer—a smart coat, suit or dress-specially priced garments will make appreciated gifts.



At "Half Price"

You may choose any better grade coat (with the exception of Burberrys) or suit at one half its former marking. Think of what a saving this affords; plain and fur-trimmed

Sample Serge

Dresses at

\$25.00

A Limited Number of Fine Quality Serge and Wool Tricotine Dresses, will be offered Tuesday; the smart. At the very tempting price of \$65.00 Wool Velour

Coats at

\$25.00

Women's Wool Velour Coats belted and full backs, with deep cuffs and convertible collars; the best value offered this season. At the low price of ... \$25.00

Fine Gift Gloves at Reduced

Prices-Monday

Trefousse Fine Quality Glace Kid Gloves in black, white, tan and mode; regular \$4.75. Sale price, pair, \$3.90

Gloves, splendid quality; regular to \$8.50 per pair. Sale price, a

Rip - Proof Cape Kid Gloves, one dome clasp, in brown, tan and grey, regular \$5.00 per pair. Sale price \$3.75

Trefousse Suede Gloves, very fine quality, two domes; in white, grey, brown and mode; regular \$4.50 per pair. Sale price \$3.90

White Washable Chamois Gloves, one dome clasp, black points and black stitching. Very special at, per pair . . . \$2.50 Natural Chamois Gloves with black points and

Perrin's Extra Quality Prique Sewn Kid Gloves with heavy black points; in white and yellow; regular \$5.00 per pair. Sale price, a pair \$4.90

Italian Lambskin Gloves

Gauntlet Gloves at

\$5.50 Pair

Included in this special glove offering are high-grade Cape Kid and Chamois Gauntlet Gloves priced

Italian Silk Knick-

ers \$5.50

Fine Quality Italian Silk Knickers in pink or white, for gift-giving; made with elastic at knee and waist. Very special value at, per pair \$5.50

> One-Third Off All Imported Beaded

Regular Prices \$20.00 to \$65.00

Fifty Dozen Gift

Handkerchiefs

On Sale Tues- 50c

Monday we place on sale fifty dozen Colored Bordered Novelty Handker-chiefs, splendid for Christ-mas gifts. At the special price of three for . . 50¢

Useful Gift Suggestions

Silk or Wool Scarves Are Popular Gifts

If you want a mother's or sister's Christmas to be long remembered, one of the most welcome gifts would be a beautiful silk or wool scarf, and we are proud to say no scarf desire has been omitted from our exclusive assort-

Give "Her" a Silk Umbrella

Sure to be greatly appreciated is a gift of a silk umbrella. At \$12.75 you may select one of any popular color with a neat handle, fitted with a wrist cord or ring. Special value at \$12.75

A Wool Sweater Coat Is Useful

Business girls or those staying at home will certainly appreciate the gift of warm and cosy Wool Sweater Coat, in a smart tuxedo or pull-over style. There are scores sweaters here for gift selec-

Why Not a Silk Underskirt for Mother?

And presented in the Underskirt Section are scores of beautiful Jersey silk and taffeta Underskirts at prices that will prove most popular with holiday shoppers.

> Christmas Sale of Dainty Silk

Undergarments 25 Per Cent. Off

A fine collection dainty sample Silk Undergarments, including gowns, camisoles, envelope chemise, skirts and knickers. Selling at a special discount of 25 per Cent. off regular

Give "Holeproof" Silk Hose this Christmas at Per \$2.00 No Tax

Well known as "The Gift Supreme," it is the one gift that never fails to elicit pleased exclamations on Christmas morning; procurable in black, white and colors. At, per

Buy Them by the Box-Three Pairs to the Box Solid or Assorted Colors-Per Box, \$6.00



Christmas Sale of

Blouses

\$9.95 and \$12.00

(No Tax)

A Collection of Dainty

leorgette, Crepe and

Cream Net Blouses

gathered from our

regular stock and for-

merly priced regular up

to \$22.50. Selling at,

each - no tax-\$9.95

and \$12.00

pair \$2.00

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Christmas Gifts

There is no doubt that Furniture makes an ideal

present, especially at Christmas time. It is durable and

serviceable, and the recipient will always look with pleasure

on such a gift long after Christmas has passed. We have a very nice and large variety of Furniture suitable for any

They are very strong and will stand lots of hard use, such

as children will give them. Come in and buy now, and you will be sure of getting your choice. A deposit will hold any

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Store open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings until 9 o'clock

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reduced demand for those com-modities very probably has created a number of serious situations in the larger industrial centres of Eastern Canada.

Bulgaria to membership in the League is a noteworthy mark of nanency and success it may yet tional trust so necessary to the possible to win the United future of the League. States over to full membership in the League either as it stands sued the Assembly witnessed at present or in some form participation in its conduct.

As long as the nations and their statesmen are seized with the old diplomacy, Mr. Balfour the conviction that humanity jealously guarded the Council's a realizable condition.

PEACE HOPES WANING.

It had been hoped that the minions. correspondence which has taken place between Mr. Lloyd George details of mon ground upon which it less there is a time coming when would be possible to arrange a truce in Ireland. Hopes were the meantime secret diplomacy, no matter in what form it exists, and the stage already had been is dying hard.

Neverthe-Gizeh Shrine Club.—At a meeting of the Gizeh Shrine Club, held at the Masonic Temple on Saturday evening, by-laws were adopted and arrangements were made for the holding of the Gizeh Shrine Club.—At a meeting eventually would lead to com- for the time being. Neverthe

set for the necessary "conversa-tions" between Father O'Flanagan, Arthur Griffith and Eamon de Valera. But the latest development indicates an absence of sincerity on the part of the "vice-president of the Irish Republic" when he informs the Prime Minister that reconciliation is possible only after the British Government has dealt officially with the Spanish-American "president" of Erin's Isle.

It is impossible, of course, for Mr. Lloyd George to consent to rather than put an end to the existing conditions by constitu-

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ogress. And by the time these warning arose over the refusal of ty nations meet in official con- of the Council to make public clave again it may be that Ger- the various mandatory details many and Russia will have dem- in which the organization as a distracted such practical desire whole has a very definite in-to behave themselves as to warpant their admission also. To which might easily depend the give it its sure guarantee of per- continuance of that interna-

at present or in some form as the spectacle of two cousins—will neither destroy its funda-Mr. Balfour and Lord Robert mental aims and objects nor re-tain the barrier to American for the old and new schools. As a former Prime Minister, imbued with all the traditions of needs protection from wars in decision to withhold the details the future international amity is of the mandates from the public gaze. In Lord Robert was personified the new outlook, while with him were representatives of some of the Overseas Do-

But the old school won. The details of the mandates remain and Father Michael O'Flanagan a secret of the League's Council

NOTE AND COMMENT

Just to give an impetus to the peace parleys intensified war-fare marked the close of an

Lord Northeliffe wants to

Princess Christopher of Greece At times the Smith party-formerly just plain Mrs. W. forced to fly for hours in a bill B. Leeds—has purchased a Rus-sian sable cloak for forty-five

WHY DO WE SEND "CHRISTMAS

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The gaily colored cards and booklets which have come to be a part of the Christmas celebration, are, in reality, a survival of the "Christmas pieces" popular during the first half of the last century. These were sheets of writing paper, adorned with various sketches, used by schoolboys at the approach of the holidays to tell of the progress which they had made in their studies, and to suggest various gifts of which they would approve at Christmas. Gradually these Christmas "pieces" grew more and more elaborate, and to the control of the con

VISITED FOUR CONTINENTS IN GREAT **AERIAL JOURNEY**

(Continued from page 1.)

Now that all Victoria's progressive organizations have joined in the drydock chorus there ought to be some hope of a suitable reply from Ottawa.

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The distinguished aviator, characterized efficient ground organization for the outstanding success of his trip. The party was successful in reaching their destination within three days of the time limit, of thirty days, and had plenty of time in hand They had not one major crash to report, and had completed the most outstanding cross continent flight in the history of aviation. Many Casualties.

hap. The machine carried 518 gal-lons of gds or enough for 13 hours in the air. The whole 15,000 miles from Hounslow to Adelaide was made at an average flying speed of 85 miles an hour.

"The stare incline, but do not compel." HOROSCOPE

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Several handsome carved ef-fects are displayed in ma-hogany, fumed oak or wal-

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Gifts That Last

The elogan fits ROSE'S jewel-ry because 'way back our prac-tice has been, not how cheap but rather how well high-grade jew-

rather how well high-grade jew-elry could be made, and, quality considered, our prices have al-ways been fair.

A dainty piece of jewelry or pearls, for instance, bought this Christmas as a gift, will please you and the recipient because of lits beauty and its durability. It is made honestly to "last."

J. ROSE

Next door to the Irish Linen Store. Open Every Evening



tion for home, store or hall is provided at "Macey's".

Here is a novelty or the Christmas

JACK HORNER

favors for 12 guests. Prices from

\$4.00



A Few Choice Samples of Christmas Cards Left

Sweeney-McConnell, Ltd.

interet Stationers, 1012 Langley St Next B. C. Electr

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purchases—therefore, forenoon shopping early in the week is the system that should be followed in order to obtain the maximum of comfort and service.

This store, with its five great floors of gift merchandise, provides splendid scope for choosing.

FURNITURE—A Gift That Gives Lasting Pleasure

Something for the home is a present that is ever-popular. For this reason the third floor Furniture Section is a centre of attraction for the Christmas shopping crowds. Here are a few suggestions worth considering:

> Sewing Cabinets A variety of handsome styles in mahogany or walnut. Prices range from \$45.00 down

to \$18.00 Tea Wagons

Many styles are presented — some with removable glass base trays, others with one, two or three tiers; woods are funed oak, walnut or mahogany. Prices range from \$75.00 to\$22.50

Smokers' Cabinets Useful pieces of furniture for

Jardiniere Stands

An inexpensive gift, and one that will prove exceedingly useful; fumed oak or mahogany. Prices from ... \$2.25



Table Linen Makes an **Ideal Gift**

These Tablecloths and Serviettes come to us from the foremost mills in Belfast, and are warranted pure linen. Several of our old tablecloth purchases are now available at the following prices:

Size 72 x 72; regular \$15.00. Now \$10.75 Size 72 x 72, regular \$16.50. now \$12.75

Size 81 x 81, regular \$19.50. Now \$15.75 Size 81 x 90, regular \$19:50: Now \$17.50 Size 72 x 90, regular \$25.00. Now \$19.50

Size 72 x 108, regular \$27.50. Now \$22.50

Size 22 x 22, regular \$15.00 dozen. Now ... \$12.75 Size 22½ x 22½, reg. \$17.50 dozen. Now ... \$13.50 Size 24 x 24, regular \$18.50 dozen. Now ... \$14.75

Size 24 x 24, regular \$21.00 dozen. Now ... \$16.50 Size 24 x 24, regular \$25.00 dozen. Now ... \$19.00

Many Christmas Gifts Are Shown in the Drapery

Beautiful Curtains, Cedar Chesis with cretonne coverings, Bureau Scarfs, English Table Covers—these are but a few of the many splendid gift suggestions the Drapery Section displays.

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English Cushions filled with the finest quality of down and covered with black satin relieved with printed satin in colors to tone; round shape, 22-inch size; regular at \$18.50. Special at \$14.75

Bolster Style Cushions to match, 27 inches long; regular \$19.50. Special, \$15.25 Bolster Style Cushions to match, 27 inches long; regu-lar \$19.50. Special, \$15.25 Round Cushions, Kapock filled and covered with plain silk; a good variety of colors from which to choose. Price \$6.75

Toytown News

Santa Claus with his wonderful Toy Dancing Charlie Chaplin will be the chief Toytown attraction this week. Kindergarten Furniture, Dolls and Dolls' Buggies are pro-vided at special prices.

Stools and Leg Rests

Covered with artistically patterned tapestry or solid leather. Priced from \$15.00 to \$7.50

Fern Stands

Beautifully made and finished with zinc linings; mahogany or fumed oak. Prices are from \$22.50 to \$18.00

Chesterfield End Tables

Sea Grass Work Baskets Beautifully made Sea Grass Work Baskets fitted with basket top, handles and tray below; regular \$10.50 value. Now \$7.50



Two Gift Suggestions Specially Priced

Percolators High-grade aluminum Coffee Percolators, eight-cup size



Dinner Sets For the Christmas. Table

A gift of enduring beauty see this fine display.

Another Limoges China Din-ner Set with gold handles and conventional border, in light green and yellow; 97 pieces. Price . \$112.50

A Columbia Grafonola Will Please the Whole Family-Hear the Grafonola Here



Thousands of New Georgette Blouses

In a Great

Xmas Sale!

All New Prices—Lowest in Years

Myriads of Beautiful Styles in Every Color

This is a sale of super-value! Every one of these blouses is a downright bargain! Phousands of fresh, new blouses just arrived from our factory-made of crisp, new materials, in the very last word of fashions. Not one blouse taken from old stock.

Such superb blouses at these very, very low prices would be impossible under any other circumstances. It is only because we bought the materials away below the importer's cost price during the recent slump-and had them made at our own factory-eliminating a middle-man's profit—that it is possible to give you such outstanding values. See them immediately—there is an enormous variety, but hundreds will avail thmeselves of this matchless opportunity.

4.98 Bevies of absolutely fascinating little blouse models in Georgette, in every shade in the rainbow; all twinkling with bead embroidering and profusely trimmed with lace;

Dozens of stunning styles—made of rich, heavy Georgette; some vest effects with gold embroidering, others profusely tucked or trimmed with coy little frillings; also/many-lovely styles in soft satins and rich crepes de Chine of every fashlonable shade; made up in a delightful variety of the smartest designs.

Picture them if you can; pro-fusions of lovely styles in best Georgette, lavish with good laces; others are trimmed with chic knife pleated frill-ing now so fashionable; most ast double the price.

\$8.50 we sold just such louses only two months ago at \$15.00, and they were comparatively low priced at that. Here you have the very lattest styles in best Georgatte at about half the usual price. The variety of

styles is legion—made up in every fascinating-way that could be imagined; white, flesh, cham-pagne, sand, navy, brown, peach, taupe and many other lovely colors.

Chic Voile Blouses Q

Be sure you see these charming little voile blouses. There is a large variety of styles in fine, dainty Georgette. They make a dainty, attractive gift; other models priced up to



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1016 Government Street

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POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES Only Ten Men Were Required For Extra Christmas Work.

It was announced at the Post Office this morning that there will be quite sufficisnt men whose names are on the list of applicants for work sent lere from Ottawa to filt will the vacancies for extra work occasioned by the Christmas mailing.

In every case preference is being given to returned men and the list of applicants has not yet been exhausted. It has been discovered that quite a number of the men whose applications were filed have received employment elsewhere. Though the pay given these extra employees is \$2.50 per day, the local authorities have done everything in their power to

CHRISTMAS SALE

tage of the Cut Prices Here

BIG REDUCTIONS 10% to 25%

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Genuine Ivory Beads, Photo Frames, Silk Kimonas, Dressing Gowns, Slippers, Fancy Baskets, Handbags, Tablecloths, Hand-kerchiefs, Jardinieres, China Tea Sets, Toys and Curios.

SEA GRASS FURNITURE Clean-Up Price

Come Early-Don't Delay

Lee Dye & Co.

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Last Night

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A full house greeted the G. W. V. A. bandsmen at the Pantages TheBilitabeth Blake Meston, beloved wife of Mr. William McKay Meston, aged 31 years. She was born in Victoria and is survived by her husband and one daughter in Vancouver, also her pack 422 Johns Start (19 Jarvis Street, Vancouver, of Mr. Milliam McKay Meston, aged 31 years. She was born in Victoria and is survived by her husband and one daughter in Vancouver also her pack 422 Johns Start (19 Jarvis Street, Vancouver, of Octobe, when the cortege will proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral where Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Father MacDonald. Interrent will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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CAPT. Altren

GROUIP MEETINGO TO SAL

Rev. Father MacDonald. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Wardale took place at 9.36 o'clock this morning from the Thomson Funeral Home, where a private service was held. Miss Leta Cody singing "The Rosary." The cortege proceeded to St. Andrews Cathedral, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father MacDonald. Frank Sehl sang and Benedict Bantly officiated at the organ. There was a large attendance at the Cathedral and many beautiful floral tributes. The graveside service was conducted by the Rev. Father Letsrme. The pallbearers were: M. Lawless, Patrick. Böyle, J. Cox, M. J. O'Brien, Thos. O'Connell and H. J. O'Leary.

George Cowdray died this morning at Craigdarroch Hospital at the age of 55 years. He was a native of England and had served oyerseas in the Royal England and had and had a served o

BAND CONCERT AT

PANTAGES THEATRE

G.W.V.A. Entertainment Attracted Crowded House

hand numbers were well received, and heartily applauded.

Miss Pearl Hayman, soprano, singing for the first time before a Victoria audience, immediately won unstinted applause by her rendering of "Down the Vale" and "Keep on Hoping," and was forced to return for the third time. Mr. Jack Petch, baritone, was equally enthusiastically received, and gave Handel's "Hear Me, Ye Winds and Waves," and "Phyllis."

Miss Merle North, planiste, one of the youngaters who appeared on the programme, gave a really fine renderings of S. Rachmaninoff's prelude op 3, No. 2, followed by Sinding's Voice of Spring.

Miss Annie Holt, the little violinist, also met with a hearty reception. Both of the little artists were presented with bouquets from the Ladies' Auxiliary to G. W. V. A., and Mr. Webb thanked the audience for the appreciation shown these youthful artists.

Cabinet Appropriates One Hundred Thousand to Aid B. C. Destitute

Similar Amounts Are to Be Contributed By Dominion and Province; Mayor Gale Expresses Satisfaction With Government's Answer.

The Provincial Government this afternoon appropriated \$100,000 for gratuities to buy bread, meat and supplies for the destitute of British Columbia, Premier Oliver this afternoon announced to Mayor Gale and the members of the Vancouver dele-

This \$100,000 is to be used along with a like amount to be appropriated by the Dominion Government, as announced last week, and another third to be appropriated by municipalities.

Mayor Gale said that with this appropriation Vancouver would

TENDERS FOR RUPERT

Cannot Afford to Winter Here,

Alderman Sangster Says

be able to carry on until the Legislature meets.
"I think your mark of \$100,000 is well chosen, Mr. Premier,"

said the Mayor. The Mayor said there were 500 fam ilies of an average of three each to be cared for in Vancouver. He said that experts there had worked it out that on \$50 a month children could be sup-plied with the best of food needed for their development, such as eggi

with regard to the returned men problem due to the fact that so many of them have crowded into Vancouver from all parts of the Dominion, I have already brought this to the attention of the Dominion, and I intend to wire further, as that is a special liability of the Dominion," said the Premier.

With regard to Many Code.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Dec. 19.—
Superintendent Beaumont, of the
G.T.P. Steamship Company, is
back from Swanson Bay. He says
the company's vessel, Prince Rupert, wrecked some weks ago, and
since raised, will be under her own
steam next Wednesday. The vessel
is now reported to be dry and
alongside the wharf.

The Pacific Salvage Company
received word this morning that
the Prince Rupert, after being successfully raised was pumped dry
and was now floating and along
side the wharf at Swanson Bay.
The engineers of the Salvage
Company are now drying out the
engines, and expect to be able to
raise a head of steam by Wednesday. The ship will be taken to
Prince Rupert then under her own
steam, and it is more than likely
tenders for her repair will immeliately be issued. With regard to Mayor Gale's proposal for a \$1,000,000 loan with which posal for a \$1,000,000 loan with which to start permanent construction works in Vancouver, the Premier asked for a further conference with the Mayor. The Premier shelved all other business this afternoon and took the Mayor to his office to go into the whole proposal.

Mrs. Raiph Smith, M. A. Macdonald, Capt. MacKenzie and all other members of the delegation were asked to wait to be called on for advice during the discussion.

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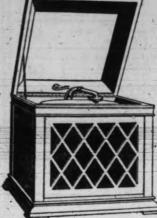
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Change at Drum Lummon.

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TO-DAY'S JEWELS

CHRISTMAS ENGAGEMENTS.

NURSES SHOULD

NOT WED PATIENTS

SCHOOL STUDENTS

Montreal Doctor's Views on

Life and Matrimony

in connection with the Christmas season are the following events: Dec. 21—Great War Next-of-Kin home dinner, at 6 p.m. Dec. 22—Eaquimalt Hospital Christmas tree, 3 p.m. Dec. 27—Veterans of France Christmas tree, at club rooms, 330 p.m.

Dec. 28—Children s
ball, Empress Hotel.
Dec. 28—I. O. D. E. Christmas
tree. Alexandra Club.
Dec. 28.—G. W. V. A. Christmas
tree. New Drill Hall.
Dec. 31—New Year's Eve dance,
Empress Hotel.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—"Nurses cannot expect to earn much money, but they can marry." Dr. J. Anderson Springle, in a valedictory to the graduating nurses of the Western Hospital last evening. Dr. Springle, however, advised the nurses not to marry their patients, for patients were never normal, being children, and it would happen that they would always want their nurses to look after them and another unfortuate possibility was that the nurses marrying, patients would continue to look on their patient-husbands as irresponsible.

It was perhaps well, said he, to refer to the talk which had gone about in certain circles in regard to nurses and their pay. Some people seemed to think that a trained nurse was trained to work day and night, but the hospital had not attempted to turn out athletes, and his suggestion to the public was that people who could not have day and night nurses had better go into an hospital.

It was unfortunate, said Dr. Springle, that there seemed to be a lack of interest in the advantages of a hospital to a community, both rich and poor. As a matter of fact, he said, a good hospital was vital to all. Too few people gave to hospitals. Dr. Springle advocated an insurance fund for nurses.

Piano Solo—"Reverie"

Jim Wyllie.
Violin Solo—"Melodie"... Telassert
Muriel. Richards.
Piano Solo—"Delight of the Dance"
Scharwenka
Eugene Phelion.
Piano Solo—"Happy Thoughts"...
Margaret Hemmingsen.
Piano Solo—"Silent Night, Holy
Night"...
Desmond Burdon-Murphy.
Piano Solo—"Cherry Blossoms"...
Muriel Woods.
Piano Solo—"Ghery Blossoms"...
Rut'l Luvirs.
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Brian Burdon-Murphy and Mrs.
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Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Maggee, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. R. S. Newling, of Simla, India, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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CLEVER DISPLAY

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tion of Dancing and Gymnastics

The exhibition of marching, gymnastics and dancing given by the girls of St. Margaret's School on Thursray and Priday evenings, was at splendid demonstration of what the pupils of this well known institution are receiving in their gymnasium training. Marked throughout by the most meticulous attention to time, drills and dancing alike were a sheer pleasure to watch, and the whole undertaking reflected the greatest credit on. Miss Cotsworth, gymnasium and dancing mistress, who showed herself a wönderful disciplinarian as well as instructress.

musical march by the senior girls, foilowed by gymnastics by the junior school. Even the smallest pupil showing enthusiasm and interest in the work. The Swedish drills in which the lines are so striking, were among the most effective movements that were carried out, the senior school being very well trained in these, while the younger girls of the intermediate class won very spontaneous applause for their apt performance, as well as their alacrity in apparatus work.

The little kindergarten class brought forth much applause for their quick response and smartness.

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The little kindergarten class brought forth much applause for their quick response and smartness. The most exciting moment of the eventing was the team race between the past and present pupils, the girls of the school cheering as the different runners passed the goal. On both nights the "present" girls were victorious. Following the "Old Girls" race was an Egyptian dance, in which Avis Stacey, Elsie Taylor and Margaret MacGregor, carrying stately peacock fans, displayed good training coupled with a native grace which made their work additionally attractive.

"Ropes" jumping and vaulting afforded a very fine display of these typical gymnasia exercises. Both senior and junior girls had an opportunity of showing their agility in climbing the ropes, swarming up two at a time as limbly as sailors, and juniors contributed to the class dances, among the prettiest items being two numbers, "The Sleeping Beauty," and "Jack and Jill," the latter by the tiny tots.

The blindfold drill was most amusing, some of the girls taking up a line so alien to the "true" that they found themselves running into the spectators who were seated in the front rows. The entire school, was included in the final march, in which the school motto, "Service With Love," was carried out with ribbons. The National Anthem having been sung, three ringing cheers were given for the principal Miss Barton, the staff, and Miss Cotsworth, the latter being presented with a beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums.

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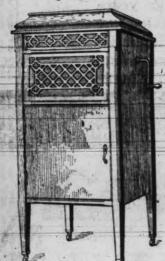
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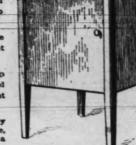
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oficiency in music and French priciation. Particularly interesting we epiano solos by Miss Messenger, illiant pianist, whose second numb is composed by Miss Archbutt. The complete programme follows:

ags—(a) The Star ... Berthold Tou (b) Tender Wood Dove. Goun The Singing Class.

anoforte Duet—Andante and Allegro ... Diado May Hunter and Miss Archbutt.

anoforte Solo—In the Moonlight... Fea

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(a) Le Meunier qui dort
(b) Sur le pont d'Avignon
Junior and Primary Classes.
Pianeforte Duet-Intermezzo ... Mascagn
Beryi Neison and Miss Archbutt.
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Fiorence Oates.
French Récitation—La Cigale et la
Tourni ... La Fontali
Marjorie Oates.

Marjorie Oates.

French Recitations—

(a) Le Corbeau et le Renard La Fontaine

(b) Carillon Belge .. Emille Cammaerts Phylis Barton.

Plano Duet—Norwegian Dance .. Greig Datsy Genn and Miss Archuitt.

Recitations—Lyries from The Tempest and As You Like It Shakespeare Jane Wilson, Irene Hallam, Charlotte Stewart, Violet Allen.

Pjano Solo—Traumerei ... Schumann.

Piano Solo—Traumerei Schun Miss Gladys Brinkman.

Miss Gladys Brinkman
Berceuse de Jocelyn Godard
Marjorie Oates.
French Sketch-Une Surprise
Girls of the Middle and Junior Forms.
Piano Duet-Scherzo Beethoven
Marjorie Judd and Miss Archbutt.
Piano Solo—A Wayside Inn. Schumann
Beryl Nelson.
Japanese Jingle and Dance
Piano Solo—Zu Deine Fiessen Greig
Marjorie Judd
Phantasie Stucke Dalsy Genn.
Banishment Scene from As You Like
It Shakespeare

Phyllis Barton, Marjorie Oates, Fig. Oates. (a) Prelude in D Flat Chonin
(b) Rigandon F. Archbutt
Miss Messenger.
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In the case of Kootenay mining, Mr. Hedley pointed out in an interview yesterady, the price of silver is one of the principal governing factors, as silver constitutes the chief vafue in the majority of Kootenay ores. A stable price, therefore, for Canadian-produced silver would be an anchor that would assure the continuance in operation of many Kootenay mines.

Price Nemad is Browning for Canadian Scottish Men

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"From these facts is can be argued," said Mr. Hedley, "that Canada can with advantage coin such silver as she may purchase in the next-two years at \$0 cents per ounce.

The production in the two years will not total more than \$0,000,000 ounces, and of that, it is probable that the world's market will absorb the larger part and at a price better than \$0 cents."

Canada's silver coinage in cricula-

Government purchase at a price of \$0 cents per oince of all silver offering, known to be the product of native ores, and increased silver coinage, are advocated by Robert R. Hedley, the well known mining man, as a means of assuring a market for Canadian silver, stabalizing the metal markets generally, and maintaining mines in operation metals, thus reducing the threatened unemployment, says the Nelson News.

Mr. Hedley, who was manager of Hall Mines, Ltd., for 10 years, during the period it operated the Nelson smelter, has been spending a great and at a price between than 80 cents."

Canada's silver coinage in criculation at the end of 1919 amounted to \$27,084,148, Mr. Hedley stated, as compared with \$14,327,662 in 1910. In the 10 years ending with 1919 the Canadian mint coined silver to the amount of \$15,233,605, of which \$3,195,878. If this volume was considered sufficient for coins of small denominations, he pointe out, the new coinage could be of dollar very undestrable dollar bill." The United States now had silver coinage in circulation of \$308,148,000, and further coinage was advocated as desirable.

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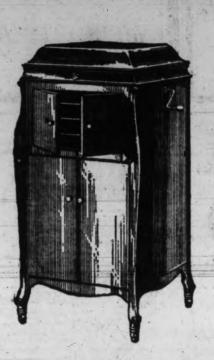
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rved in this house are guar-

VIOLINS

To Go East.

Nanaimo.—E. H. Bird, accompanied y Mrs. Bird, will leave for the East ha few days to attend the annual teeting of the Canadian Bank of commerce, of the local branch of which he is the manager.

Coal Miners Laid Off.

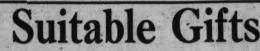
Nanaimo.—With over 200 men laid off by the closing down of the Morden mine of the Pacific Coast Coal Co., and nearly fifty released at the Nanoose-Weilington mine at Ladysmith, the number of men out of employment in this district has been largely augumented. There has been no diminution in the working strength of the Canadian Western Fuel Company, though the mine was shut down one day early this week.

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Machine Gunners. - The usual Machine Gun Brigade will be held at the Bay Street Armoury at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, when a full attendance of all ranks is looked for. Shooting on the indoor range will be carried out.

Merry Christmas by Wire.—Christmas greetings can be sent by telegraph this year in a form just as attractive as is possible in the mails. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's telegraph organization has issued special Christmas telegraph message forms tastefully decorated in Christmas style. All messages of Christmas greeting will be delivered on them.

Music Pupils . Have Christmas Style. All messages of Carlistmas greeting will be delivered on them.

Party. — Pupils of the Columbia School of Music held their Christmas party at the studio, 1468 Broad Street, Saturday night, when Santa Claus was received. He distributed presents. Mrs. Burdon-Murphy had charge of this part of the function. The young pupils gave a recital. The feature of the programme was the performance of Marie Hemingson, who is six years old, and started to learn her notes only six weeks ago.

The Christmas style. All messages of the Cristmas service will be delivered on them.

To Tell of Other Wise Men.—The Rev. David MacLaren, of Toronto, will give the story of "The Other Wise Man," illustrated by lantern sides at the Christmas session of the St. Andrew's Young People's Society to night. Rev. Mr. MacLaren was also a college chum of Dr. Jonathan Go-north Jonatha the Christmas session of the St. Andrew's Young People's Society tonight. Rev. Mr. MacLaren was also a college chum of Dr. Jonathan Goforth, founder of the Presbyterian mission in Honan Province, China, and father of Wallace Goforth, president of St. Andrew's Young People's Society.

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Alpine Club Meeting.—On Saturday evening the Alpine Club of Canada held a general meeting at the residence of Director A. O. Wheeler at Sidney, to receive the report of Delegates Mrs. Julia Henshaw, of Vancouver, and Mr. Harmon, of Banff, as to the proceedings at the Alpine Congress at Monaco last May. President Col. W. W. Foster was in the chair, there being a full attendance of the Victoria membership. Director Wheeler said that it had been suggested that next year's camp should be held at Lake O'Hara, near Laggan. An informal dance concluded the evening.

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Shield Presentation.—On Thursday the Boys' Naval Brigade will muster in full force to receive from the British Campaigners' Association and handsome shield. The presentation will be made at the Great War Veterans' Association quarters on Fort Street, arrangements having been made for both watches of the Brigade, together with both bands, to meet at the ship's office at 7.15 p.m. and march to the club rooms as as a body.

Carol Service and Recital—On Sunday, December 25, a Carol Service and Abert Organ Recital will be given at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, beginning promptly at 3 p.m. Carols by such favorite composers as Gounod, Sullivan, Stainer and Tertius Noble will be sung. The fine three-manual organ in the church has just undergone a thorough tuning and overhaul, and should be heard to advantage in the composers as Gounod, Sullivan, Stainer and Tertius Noble will be sung. The fine three-manual organ in the church has just undergone a thorough tuning and overhaul, and should be heard to advantage in the composers as Gounod, Sullivan, Stainer and Tertius Noble will be sung. The fine three-manual organ in the church has just undergone a thorough tuning and overhaul, and should be heard to advantage in the composers as Gounod, Sullivan, Stainer and Tertius Noble will be sung. The fine three-manual organ in the church has just undergone a thorough tuning and overhaul, and should be heard to advantage in the composers as Gounod, Sullivan, Stainer and Tertius Noble will be sung. The fine three-manual organ in the church has just undergone a thorough tuning and overhaul, and should be heard to advantage in t

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gramme. A collection will be taken on behalf of the Sunday School.

will not take place on Tuesday even-

Kiwanis Club.—At the regular crew of the steamer President at the by the officers that more attention Kiwanis luncheon at the Dominion Hotel to-morrow, Kiwanian Turnbull A A A Would otherwise be advisable, and

Army and Navy Auxiliary.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans will meet in the Hamley Bidg., corner of Government and Broughton Streets, at 8 o'clock Tuesday, for their vegular meeting. The executive will meet at 7.30 o'clock sharp. Hotel to-morrow, Kiwanian Turnbull will deliver an address on "The Pulp and Paper Possibilities of B. C." J. G. Coots, the well-known baritone, will render some songs. A feature of the unreason will be the fact that members are requested to bring small gifts for their fellow members, the donation to be of comical rather than sentimental interest.

with pre-war practice.

with a supplement of Music In the Vancouver Schools, arrived in the City ins afternoon on a brief visit to his brother, George J. Dyke.

loop. Loop. Loristants Tree.—All arrangements are now complete for the Committee in the Alexandra Club on December 28. Over three hold on the fall.

Lose Valued Member.—The members of the Craigflower Parent prepared of the Association's deepest prepared of the Security of the Yelerans

may be given to social activities than is forecasted that there will be a smokers and concerts as compared with pre-war practice.





Times Latest Sporting News



Tottenham's Forwards · • Beat Brilliant Bolton

Jeams Provide One of Best EVERYONE TALKING Games Seen in London This Season-Some Clubs in Sixth Qualifying Round For **Association Cup**

plated Press) .- The first division of the Association Football League was the only one to have a full programme on Saturday owing to some towns in other divisions being engaged in the sixth qualifying round of the Association Cup.

The draw takes place to-day, when Saturday's twelve the winners and 52 exempted league clubs will provide 32 games.

Forwards Too Good. Forwards Too Good,
The Tottenham versus Bolton game trovided one of the best seen in Lonon in the present season. The Bolton team showed scarcely a weak oint but were overwhelmed by Totenham's splendid forward work. All the goals were scored through Cantell, Dimmerick, and Bliss before Bolton, taking advantage of a slight easing up, scored through Smith and towley.

Who's going to win to-night?" was the interesting query heard all over town to-day. Women carrying baskets stopped in the fair maidens hesitated as they powdered their noses and the scurrying business men stopped in their tracks, and all fired the same question at one another.

The question has been bandled

Ward, but Bradford's defence was cumbersome.

The Arsenal held its own against Bradford City up to half time, thanks chiefly to the combination between Pagnum and Blyth, but the home learn deserved to win on the quality of their play.

Cardiff, the leaders of the second division, proved a well-balanced team against Bury. Their goals were soored by Gill and Cahore, with Bullock scoring for Bury.

Fulham Snatches Game.

Pulham snatched victory from Stoke literally at the last minute through Hall, the earlier goal being scored by Cook.

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Notts, through Dolphin and Widbyson, registered one of the smallest
wins of the season against Blackpool,
who are usually hard to beat at home.
Crystal Palace were penned in their
bysus quarters during the first half and
the Rangers fully deserved their
to 0 victory, for the team did wonders
on the heavy ground.

The most important match in the
cnp-tie programme was that between
Clapton and Portyale, in which the
play was full of incident. Clapton
was more aggressive throughout,
Smith scoring ten minutes after the
lateryal.

They're Having Snow.
Snow prevented good football in sew scattered places.

O'DOWD ITCHING TO GET BACK HIS TITLE

Former Middleweight Champion Makes Big. Offer to Wilson For Return Go

Se. Paul, Minn., Dec. 20.—Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight boxing champion, last night announced he would pay \$5,000 in cash out of his own pocket to Johnny Wilson, who won the middleweight title last Spring, for a fifteen-round returnmatch with Wilson. O'Dowd, who returned to his home here last night from the East, said Tex Rickard had offered Wilson \$35,000 for a match with the former champion.

In addition to the \$5,000 bonus, O'Dowd said he would give Wilson \$1,000 if the latter beat him in a return fight.

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OVER WAR VETS AND SENATORS' BIG GAME

London, Dec. 20.—(Canadian Asso- Huge Crowd Expected at

the appearance of George Box on their forward line.

Their is a probability that the Elks will have two new men in their line
up. Bassett, a star deterise man, who played in the "Big Four" last year, and Murray, a crack forward, have been signed by the Elks, but it is not known whether or not they will be ready for the fray to-night.

Mrs. Kent Swims.

Yesterday afternoon five V. A. S.
C. members were to be seen testing the waters at their clubhouse at the Gorge.

Mrs. Georgina P. Kent surprised everyone by taking a short swim, and although she has not been in the water since the late Summer she water since the late Summer she water since the late Summer she water should be able to last out for 50 yards.

NIGHBORS OUT OF GAME.

MONTREAL CLUB WILL OPERATE UNDER C.A.H.A.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—At the third

annual meeting of the Montreal A. A.
A. Saturday the Quebec Hockey Association's control of amateur hockey was extended for the season.
The Quebec branch of the C. A. H.
A. now controls this division of the sport in the province and only clubs affiliated with it can compete for the Alian Cup, emblematic of the senior amateur hockey championship of Canada; the intermediate championship of the Dominion and the Junior amateur championship of the Dominion.

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Profiteer Guest—Oh, we don't mir
roughin' it; we're all sportsmen,
take it.—London Punch.

|Seattle and Vancouver | United Service Victor Open Pro. Hockey To-night

Once again the teams in the Pacific Coast Hockey Association are being lead to the wire and to-night President Frank Patrick will apring the gate and the race will be on. The Terminal City is this year having the honor of witnessing the start of the long grind. Last year the season opened in Victoria. To-night Vancouver and Seattle will tussle for the honor of grabbing the first victory of the 120-21 season. On Wednesday night Victoria will play in Seattle and on Christmas afternoon the Mets will be here for the opener. The Mets will he here for the opener. The Mets will have a heavy week, three games within six days. Hockey is taking a great hold in the West this season. The amateurs are proving a great drawing card end. It is expected that the professionals will pack the arenas every time they play. The Seattle Mets have last year's team intact with Bernie Morris also available. The Mets were last year's winners, but failed to lift the Stanley Cup when they played in Ottawa.

Vancouver is counting strongly on the pennant. Manager Lloyd Cook has a likely looking aggregation and with his pew "cyclone." Syd Desioreau, from Nelson, the Millionaires will be going strong.

Victoria Will Be Thers.

But there is one team that must.

doubt. They ve got the condition, and they've got a defence that's builst-proof."

"That sounds alright," was the rejoinder, "but I'm telling you that all you'll see at the game will be a lot of Senators hammering in shots on the Vets' goal. Just take my word."

They Settled it.

Being business men they had no further time to argue, but it was noticed that they shook hands, and said something about it being a "gentlemen's bet."

And so everyone must take their choice. Someone has to win, and with the win will go the leadership in the amateur ice hockey race. The War Vets are the hardest checkers and best conditioned of the pair, but the Senators have an edge in speed and shooting ability. It will be a wonderful game.

The first game of the double-header will be between the Garrison and Elks, who will be fighting to avoid a sudden dump into the cellar. The Garrison will be reinforced by the appearance of George Box on their forward line.

Elks Strengthened

Their is a probability that the Elks will have two new men in their line-

SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP

Brigden cup soccer final here on Saturday when the frish team defeated Willys Overland, 2 to 1.

The William Davies team lifted the Guy Long cup, 1 to 0. The runners-up were the Shamrocks.

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The deam of S-0 in a fast and surious game, which was characterized by clean play and complete absence of penalties.

The teams played well in their respective positions which were as follows:

Positions Onwegos.



Ottawa, Dec. 20.-Ottawas will g Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Itawa into their first game againsts. Patrick's Wednesday night w George Boucher at centre ice. Fr. Nighbor has intimated that he going to stick to the insurance b-ness in Pembroke and will not

LOOKING THINGS OVER

It may be necessary to as for a revision of the deed of gift of the Allan Cup if the United, States Eockey Association carries out its plan to send a challenge to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association for a series of games between the champions of the respective organizations. The U.S.H.A., will have teams in Boston, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; Loughton, Mich.; St. Paul, Duluth Eveleth, Minn., and at various other points. The United States association has not considered the application of the Pittsburg team for membership because it is not yet satisfied that the Smoky City club has entirely separated itself from rink control. The teams across the border are desirous of establishing beyond all doubt the hockey supremacy of the American continent, and will send their châmpions for the Allan Cup if arrangements can be made with the Canadian hockey authorities.

Edmonton is worried like a mouse in a cat's teeth over the hockey situation there. Here is what The Journal has to say on the situation: "That Alberta has been made "the direction of "Laddie" Cassels and University of Toronto will not lose any friends to that institution. There have been occasions in which hockey clubs have appointed honorary coaches as a subterfuse in the advocacy of its principles at all times by the University of Toronto will not lose any friends to that institution. There have been occasions in which hockey clubs have appointed honorary coaches as a subterfuse in the advocacy of its principles at all times by the University of Toronto will not lose any friends to that institution to the tenets of amateurism and the advocacy of its principles at all times by the University of Toronto will not lose any friends to that institution. There have been occasions in which hockey clubs have appointed honorary coaches as a subterfuse in the advocacy of its principles at all times to the time of the subterfuse of the subterfuse of the subterfuse of the subterfuse of trainers. The Toronto university of the subterfuse of the s

After Exciting Finish

AUSTRALIANS ARE IN

SOUTH OF ENGLAND BEATEN BY ENGLAND

Trial Rugby Match Results in Overwhelming Score; Good Gomes in Rugby Union

London, Dec. 29.—(By Canadia Associated Press) — Results (Rugby games on Saturday were: International Trial Match. England, 31; South of England, 8 Rugby Union.

Richmond, 14; Harlequins, 8, London-Irish, 13; London-See

Old Blues, 0; London Welsh, 0.

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Blackheath, 5; Old Leysians, 18.

Birkenhead Park, 27; Liverpool, 8.

Northampton, 12: Coventry, 0.

Cross Keys, 3; Ebb Vale, 0.

Roslyn Park, 27; United Services, 8.

Rugby, 19; Stratford, 4.

Guyss 19; Old Millbillians, 0.

Nuneaton, 12; Moseley, 0.

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A. Edmonds 3, v. J. M. Wood 1.
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H. Collings 3, v. J. N. Findlay 6.
A. B. Sanders 1, v. H. P. Hodges 2.
S. H. De Carteret 2, v. J. Straith 1.
J. Savident 6, v. J. H. Beatty 2.
A. A. Warder 6, v. R. H. Quinn 3.
A. F. Thomas 6, v. E. Macdougall 3.
J. W. Suttle 3, v. A. E. Haynes 6.
A. Youngman 1, v. G. Y. Simpson 2.
C. Morrison 2, v. A. McDermott 6.
E. W. Ismay 2, v. J. Hunter 6.
S. A. Staden 9, v. H. A. Davie 3.
R. A. Meakin 6, v. D. O. Lewis 3.
J. A. Montgomery 3, v. Angus
Campbell 6.
G. Jones 3, v. L. W. Slade 6.
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C. I. Mackenzie 0, v. B. P. Schwengers 2.
R. J. Darcus and A. M. D. Fairbairn 3, v. Hon. J. Hart and P. Criddle, 1.
R. Foullis and E. D. Freeman 0, v. J. Graham Graham and C. P. W. Schwengers 4.
J. H. Edmonds and H. Collings 4, v. G. Horricks and J. M. Wood 0.
R. Munro and A. A. Warder 2, v. M. Jamieson and N. Findlay 0.
A. Elmslie and A. Youngman 0, v. H. P. Hodges and J. Straith 4.
A. B. Sanders and J. Savident 0, v. J. H. Beatty and R. H. Quinn 3.
S. H. De Carteret and C. Morrison 4.
W. E. Macdougair and A. E.

S. H. De Carteret and C. Morrison
S. W. E. Macdougall and A. E.
Haynes 9.
A. F. Thomas and J. W. Suttle 4, v.
G. Y. Simpson and Major Morriss 0.
E. W. Ismay and R. A. Meakin 1, v.
J. Hunter and A. McDermott 3.
J. Caven and S. A. Staden 1, v. H.
A. Davie and D. O. Lewis 3.
J. A. Montgomery and G. Jones 3,
v. A. Campbell and L. W. Slade 0.

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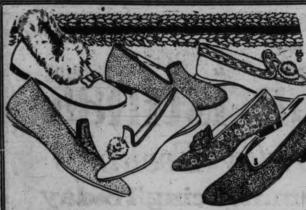
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Mets, Comrades and Vets Opened League With Win

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Saturday's soccer results were as follows: Victoria Combination League. G. W. V. A., 3; Sons of England, 2. Comrades, 5; Garrison, 2. Metropolis, 6; Firemen, 2. Wholesalers' League. Rithet's, 2; Leiser's, 1.

Kelly Douglas, 3; Wilson's, 2. Junior League. Foresters, 4; Civil Servants, 2. Rockside Roosters, 3; Saanich Rovers, 1.

The inaugural games of the new

The inaugural games of the new Victoria Combination Football League were played on Saturday afternoon, and attracted large crowds of specwere played on Saturday afternoon, and attracted large crowds of spectators. The most exciting match was between two old rivals in the late senior league, the G. W. V. A. and Sons of England. The clubs battled along on even terms until one minute before full time, when the ball was headed into the Sons' net and the Vets trotted off with the game.

The surprise of the afternoon was the heavy defeat suffered by the Firemen, who romped away with the Intermediate League honors. They were snowed under by a big score by the Metropol's eleven from the Intermediate League. The fire fighters are determined not to let this reverse disturb their pennant aspirations and hope to redeem themselves next Saturday.

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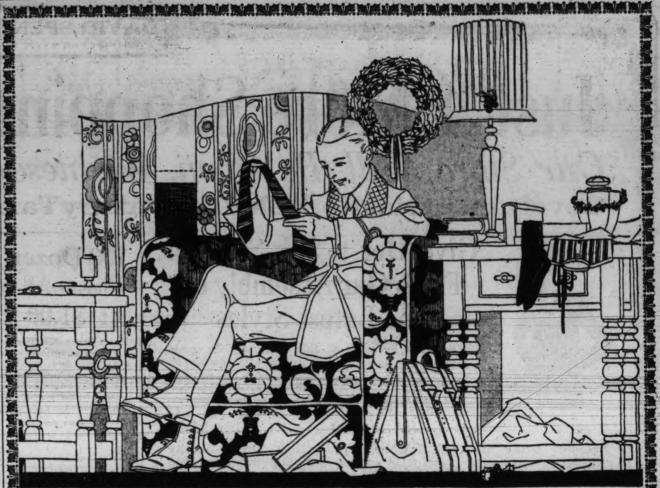
The Sons' received a setback to their a abitions in the first two minforms of the net and Harwood headed it past Fignegan for the deciding goal.

Firemen Hit Bumps.

The Firemen rode the bumps rather heavily at Central Park, After having an even break on the play in the first half the Fire-Fighters went to pieces in the second frame and the Mets rapped in four goals. At the start the Mets were the aggressors, but the nozzle-weilders eventually beat back the apposition and gave the billiard sharks a merry time. The Firemen were the first to score, Small netting the ball half way through the period but their lead was short-lived as Dowd took advantage of a mis-kick by one of the Firemen and slammed in a goal. Before the half ended Dowd got in again, receiving a pass from Brewster with a goal wide open.

When play re-opened the Mets went in hard and Dowd lifted another stinger into the twine. The Firemen respionded with another goal, Bendell lifting in a long, high shot. Dowd flashed into the limelight and the Firemen did not have

soal, Bendell lifting in a long, high shot. Dowd flashed into the limelight and the Firemen did not have a hose strong enough to dampen this young man's efforts. Dowd connected with the ball close in and Hunt, the Firemen's goalle, had to watch the ball whizz by. A few minutes later Dowd shot again and before Hunt was able to clear the forward rushed and banged the ball into the net. Hayward scored the last goal for the Mets on a penalty kick.



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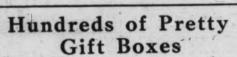
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lors of rose, American beauty, This style Shawlette has a black patent leather belt. SplenBeautiful Scarfs of Brushed Wool very popular, size 64 inches long by 20 inches wide. The ends are finished with hand-knotted fringe; shades of rose, buff and turquoise, at each\$5.00

Imported Mohair and Wool Scarfs, trimmed with blanket stitch and knotted fringe; in shades of lavender, maize, grey, white, saxe, and coral; regular values to \$12.50, \$10.75 and \$9.75, selling at \$8.75, \$6.75 and ..\$5.75

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Sugar and Creams, at \$6.90 up to\$10.50 Tea Sets, at \$21.50 to \$50.00 Sugar Bowls, at \$3.25 to \$4.50 Bread Trays, at \$5.50 to \$15.00 dwich Trays, \$7.50 to \$10.90 Cake Baskets, \$9.75 to \$18.50 Flower Baskets, \$15 to \$22.50 Bon Bons, at \$3.50 to\$7.50 Butter Dishes, at \$3.25 to \$5.00 Pickle Jars, at \$3.75 to .. \$4.50

Cold Meat Forks, \$1.25 to \$2.00 Berry Spoons, at \$1.75 to \$3.00 Sugar Shells, at 75¢ to ...\$1.25 Pickle Forks, at \$1.00 to \$1.25 Sugar Tongs, at \$1.00 to \$1.50 Bread Knives, at \$3.95 to \$5.00 Butter Knives, at 65¢ to \$1.25 Pie Knives, at \$2.25 to \$3.25 Tomato Servers, \$3.00 to \$3.25



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Nightgowns of good quality quality silk, white and flesh color, neatly made with wide hemstitched bands at \$6.90

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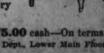
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SPEEDS TO ENGLAND TO AVOID HUSBAND

Katherine MacDonald, Most Beautiful Woman in Amer-

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal - "The Notorious Mis "Terror olsland."

COLUMBIA

unpleasing sobriquette, entangles some of the most unusual and unexpected incidents in this latest First National Attraction, "The Nortorious Miss Lisle" which will be shown at the Royal Victoria Theatre all this week, commencing to-night.

PICTURE, "HAIRPINS," **LESSON TO HUSBANDS**

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Old-Fashioned Wife in Fine Photoplay at Dominion

Across the English Channel, Gaeor Lisle who had left Blighty to
toold the army of reporters who folowed her every footstep—was returning to London on a boat that
ad embarked from La Harve.

In France she had felt secure.

The past with its polgnant memprizes had been left hundreds of
niles behind. Gaenor had married,
and on her honeymoon in Paris,
where she should have tasted the
full cup of happiness. the old hauntgrapest loomed up, shattering to bits
any hope for happiness.

Her husband had asked for an
explanation, but how could she exballin anything. Hadn't he read the
extract picture starring Enid Bennett, which will be shown at the
beginning to-day.

Rex Rosmore had a wife who
cared more about getting a reduction
on the purchase of a dozen smoked
in London.

The mist of the channel fog had
left the stairs of the companionway
slippery and uncertain, and in going
the husband had asked for an
explanation, but how could she exballin anything. Hadn't he read the
supports? Didn't he remember Gae-

'MAN AND HIS WOMAN' BLUE MOUSE HAS GRIPPING PLOT

Herbert Rawlinson Starred in Film Drama at Pantages

COLUMBIA PRESENTS "TERROR ISLAND"

Houdini in Film Achieves Marvels Which Have Won World Recognition

loudini, the famous illusionist and -tiberator. In a thrilling screen lodrama, "Terror Island," will be attraction at the Columbia Thee all this week To save some sunktreasures of ships that have been to to the bottom forms one motive the tale. But there is, in addition, skull-shaped pearl upon which an's life depends: a lovely girl, kidpped by her villainous relatives; ubmarine built on a startling plan; uth Sea Island adventures—enoughrills, it is declared to make the ordary adventure picture seem tame in mparison.

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Comedy, "Maid of the Mountains," Will Be at Royal Victoria Shortly

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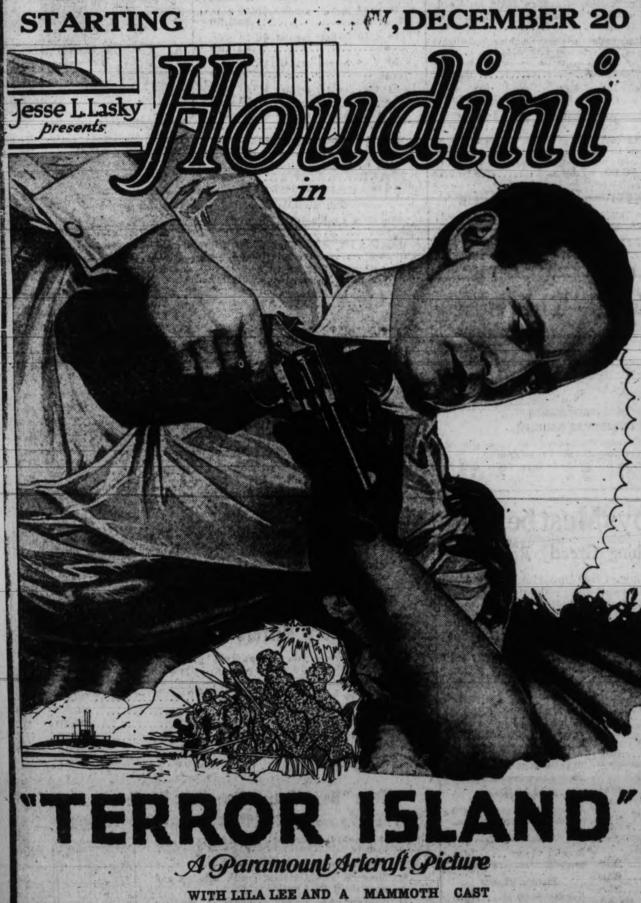
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"OPEN YOUR EYES" IS PRAISED BY DOCTORS

Film Is Directed Against Social Evil and Its Consequences

daughter's questions, and when donely girl turns to companions her own age for knowledge, she is it at first-hand from a handsome under," young in years but old in dom of the world. The contrast ween the careers of the two girls, is protected and shielded from the agers that lie about her by a wonful mother; and the other "going blind," as so many young men and men do in life, makes a powerful I romantic story, especially when "rounder," after bringing shame is uffering upon one, becomes enged to the other. How franknesses the innocent girl from a terrible so nher wedding eve makes one the strongest and most thrilling nessever staged, materwoven with this romantic ry is a vivid warning to parents talk frankly and openly with their ldren as they grow to young mand and young womanhood. As one the characters in the story exsess it, "It is far more important consult your future son-in-law's tor than to look up the young n's record in Bradstreet's. Silence these things is not golden. It is minal!"

Local Medical Opinion.

The following local endorsations of e film "Open Your Eyes" to be own at the Variety Theatre all this sek has been received by Manager

week has been received by Manager Clarke:

"The Provincial Board of Health recognizes the great benefit derived from educational work, and your film, "Open Your Eyes," dealing as it does with social disease, is a medium through which we can directly reach the people. The story told is taken from life: It carries its lesson—a tesson that parents should learn. It is educational to young and old and I would advise all who can to see the lim.

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Your film comes to Victoria at a opportune time. There has just formed a Provincial committee tormed a Provincial committee is to co-operate with the Prodi-health authorities in carrying in educational campaign. Our swill be directed to reaching sople with the truth in regard to revalence of social disease, and film should be seen by all. It the story.

"Dr. T. MILLER, Vancouver Island Counci mbating Venereal Disease.

picture that will save untold to many fortunate young folks ay have the privilege of seeing

"ROBINSON CRUSOE" TO BE PANTOMIME

New Hits and Novelties Introduced Into Forthcoming Production

Although the fable of Robinson rusoe and his travels was written

Crusoe and his travels was written nearly two hundred years ago, it has not lost any of its popularity. The story is renumbered by the older folks as one of the delights of their childhood and the younger generation still claim Robinson as their hero.

The new Pantomime to be staged in Victoria in the near future has been written around this time konored and dearly loved fable, and while much new and topical humor has been introduced the original theme has been introduced the original theme has been closely fellowed all the way through. It has been the aim of those writing the play to make it appeal to the children as well as the grownups as it is realized that pantomime is an annual treat greatly looked forward to by the kiddies. Many noveities have been introduced and a score of entirely new song hits, never before heard in Victoria. Robinson Crusoe is to be presented by the Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society for one week at the Royai Victoria Theatre. commencing Feb. 7, and it is expected it will play to capacity houses throughout the run.

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VARIETY

Matinee 35c

PRICES

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WEEK

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What Prominent Toronto People Said About "Open Your Eyes"

- GRAHAM, M.D., L.R.C., LONDON—"Well signed to give light to the ignorant."
- A. M. ROLLS, M.D.-"I think such a play must do who encourages or fosters it a criminal."

 R. J. SPENCE, M.D.—"Very interesting, and sets forth a lot of valuable information that should be made better known to public at large."

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 "The most effective and powerful educational picture I have ever seen. It is well for us that we have reached the stage where we can call 'a spade a spade."
- a spade."

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- much needed."

 J.P. DAWSON, M.D.—"An excellent picture; a movement too long delayed. Let everyone see it."

 A. M. MILLER.—"Plain speaking, graphic; showing the terrible and the helpful side."

 BISHOP R. C. EVANS.—"The picture is a revelation that should be a benediction to humanity."
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 J. P. F. WILLIAMS, M.D.—"Very interesting and educational, and should be a wonderful help to the young. More of these pictures should be shown."

 D. D. WICKSON, M.D.—"Very instructive should produce good results."

What Prominent Vancouver People Said About "Open Your Eyes"

- W. COLLIER, CHIEF PROBATION OFFICE consider this film to be safe and do not see objection there could possibly be to its being

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AT THE ROMANO

CARNIVAL SCENES IN DALTON PICTURE

Star Wins Laurel Wreath for Her Dancing in Dominion

on, starring Dorothy Dalton is scheduled for last three of the week at the Dominion

as a motion picture star.

"A Romantic Adventuress, which was adapted from "A Winter City Favorite" by Chartes Belmont Davis shows Miss Dalton as Alice Vanni, daughter of an old dancing master of New Orleans, whose mother deserts her in infancy to go to New York and live a life of ease, after her fathers death, Mrs. Vanni, now known as Mrs. Martyn, takes her daughter to New York and exploits her beauty and talent as a dancer. While visiting in Monte Carlo Mrs. Vanni endeavors to biackmail an Italian into marry.

COMPANY INDICATES NEW CAR ROUTING

Chief Suburban District to Have Increased Street Railway Facilities

B. C. Electric Railway will be increased to accommodate the extra passengers who travel during the busier periods of the day.

There will be a through service of cars between the Fowl Bay and Hillside terminus. Cars will leave the Hillside terminus for the Fowl Bay and Hillside terminus for the Fowl Bay according to a statement issued to-day by B. C. Electric Railway officials.

No Longer a "T" Car Sign.

The Hillside destination sign serving for the combined Hillside and Fowl Bay routes. The night destination, sign will be a green and a white light.

During the busier periods of the day.

Rush Hour Periods.

During the busier periods of the day, extra cars will operate on the above named route giving a six minute service between the City and the Hillside terminus, and between the City and Arnoid Avenue on the Pair-field Road, and vice versa. These extra cars will carry a distinct sign, in addition to the regular "5" sign.

Schedule of Six-Minute Service.

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Between Hillside terminus and City

-7.45 to 9.10 a.m.; 11.58 to 2.10 p.
m.; 4.34 to 6.22 p. m.

Between Arnold Avenue and City
-7.46 to 9.10 a. m.; 11.58 to 2.10 p.
m.; 4.34 to 6.22 p. m.

Between City and Hillside terminus—7.34 to 8.52 p. m.;

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Between City and Arnold Avenue—7.34 to 8.58 a. m.; 11.46 to 1.58 p. m.;

At all other times, including all day Sundays, a twelve—minute service will prevail between the City and the extreme terminal points—Hillside and Fowl Bay.

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CHRISTMAS DAY Seattle vs. Victoria

Elks vs. Garrison

NAVY LEAGUE PRESENT PRIZES AT DEEP COVE SCHOOL

On Thursday afternoon prizes were presented by the Navy League at Deep Cove School for the best examination papers on the "History of Our Flag" and the "Sailors of the British Empire."

Mr. Davis and Mr. Moses, two of the trustees, were present, as well as about twenty-five parents and friends.

about twenty-five parents and friends. H. T. Ravenhill, chairman of Vic-

H. T. Ravenhill, chairman of Victoria branch, who was accompanied by Lieut. Helmsing, Provincial Educational Lecturer, and Mr. Rayner, Secretary of the Victoria Branch, first spoke of the work of the Navy League and congratulated Mrs. Breadner, the principal, on the splendid papers that had been sent in, and congratulated the school on boys winning the first and second prizes. This is a most unusual circumstance, as in nearly every school throughout the Province the girls are nearly always to the fore. In addition to the prizes and certificates, a picture of "Richard I. and His Knights," was presented to the school, hearing on a brass plate the name of W. P. Hocking, winner of the first prize. The full list of the prize winners is as follows:

First—Picture for School, 4lso

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elving the care of the Home; that hteen children had been adted during the year, and that hteen had left. Financial Status.

opportune time was greatly appreciated by the committee.

The Ladies' Committee submitted a very interesting report of its work, along lines which have been stated in these columns from time to time.

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has just appeared. Having visited the huge falls, which are three times as high as those at Niagara and IN SOUTH AFRICA twice as wide, Mr. McCorkindale

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Gigarette Holders, \$15.00 to \$5.60
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The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner or for the United States and Suwa Maru, Captain Shimidzu, ar-nada, was in the city over the rived at William Head quarantine ek-end, and paid a visit to the station at dusk last night, remaining espective ship plants on the Indian there overnight. She made dock at eserve. He deplores the fact that the Harbor Marine yards were inctive, but stated that the condition as general over the continent and ery little could be expected, before the slump became yet more propured.

Hong Kong and Manila with strong

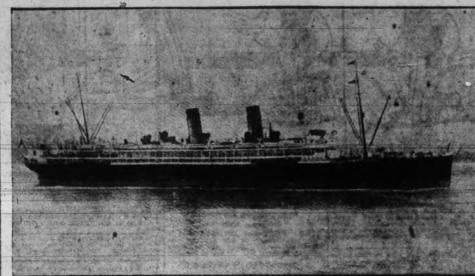
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Mr. Cholberg stated that the ship would be 95 per cent. complete, with the rigging alone to attend to upon launching, a record in itself. The pard is to be thrown open to the public for the occasion.

MARINE NOTES

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Reported Held at Sidney, N. S. W., With Labor Trouble



CANADIAN AUSTRALIAN LINER NIAGARA

ARMED JAPANESE ON LONE-HAND SKIPPER **WEATHERS STORMS** IN LITTLE SCHOONER

Thomas Drake Created Astonishment

Statile, Dec 28—Victor in a large passenger list. Capitalin was returning from the Greek of most returning from the Greek of a good run, but of the passenger states of the passenger state of the passenger states of the control of the passenger states of the passenger states of the control of the passenger states of the passen

ent Sir Francis is the second vessel of that name which he has owned. In the first Sir Francis he sailed from Seattle July 28, 1915, on a cruise that covered \$2,000 miles. He went down the coast to the Panama Canai, making many side trips, and pasing through the interocean waterway, voyaged up the Mexican coast to the North Atlantic Coast, visiting the West Indies en route. After America entered the war he had an exciting and strenuous time on the Atlantic, his tiny craft arousing much suspicion. He resembled the suspicion in vigorous language. Early in the Summer of 1919, while beating his way back to Seattle, he was wrecked on the Mexican coast.

He returned to Seattle as a passenger and after a visit to his children in Arlington he had the present Sir Francis built in Haakon Matterand's yard, the vessel being completed last Fall.

May Circumnavigate Globe.

When he sailed away from Seattle the tiny boat last month. Captain brake, who is now 57 years old, re-

BRITISH FISHER CAUGHT BY U.S. CUTTER

Plucky Adventure of Captain Crew Prepared to Give Armed Resistance, But Surrendered Later

Seattle, Dec. 20.—Victor in a single-handed battle with 17 days of savage gales, including the terrible Ballard City dock, in the early morn-

Merchant Service Guild Members Optimistic Over Future Agreement

Vancouver, Dec. 20.—"I am convinced that in the very near future an agreement which will be mutually advantageous between the Imperial Merchants Service Guild and our Canadian organization will be entered into. By this I do not mean an affiliation in the literal sense of the word but an understanding will be brought about by which both organizations will reap a great benefit."

This was the information which Andrew Goodlad, secretary of the Canadian Merchants Service, Guild, brought back from the old country on his return.

"I was in close touch with the guild branches in the old country." Mr. Goodlad said. "I may say that I needed no introduction for our organization out here is known all over the British Isles. I was received cordially and the members of the suilds there were very eager to learn what we are doing on this coast along the lines of improving working conditions for masters and

WORK PROCEEDING IN OPERATIONS **ON PRINCE RUPERT**

Partially Raised Now and on

Swanson Bay, Dec. 20.—The Prince Rupert is now safe on the beach and will be repaired sufficiently to enable her to proceed north some time this week. The experimental floating trials and the final attempt all worked out most successfully, much to the credit of Captain Logan and the Pacific Salvage Company.

The experimental trials started at 8.45 on the evening of December 14 and by midnight the ship began to rise, and in spite of the tremendous weight of the upper structure, cofferdams, and pumping machinery, stood upright. In this position she was shifted forward into shallow water and beached on a level bottom.

Dismantling and removing the cofferdam, pumps and other lifting apparatus is proceeding. The temperary patch on the hole in the ship's huffkeeps the vessel dry and work is going on in the engine-room and boilerroom, getting the machinery and steam battery in shape to go north.

In perhaps five days, it is expected, the Prince Rupert will be ready to proceed to the port of Prince Rupert under her own steam to drydock for final survey and then the matter of letting the contract for repairs will be concluded. The work may be done either at Prince Rupert or at Esquimalt, though it is felt here that the government will be inclined to favor Prince Rupert, all other things being equal.

tavor Frince Ruper, an other being equal.
Captain C. H. Nicholson, general manager of the consolidated lines of the G.T.P. and C.N.R. steamship lines on the Coast, has been on the job at Swanson Bay all this week.

Southampton.

Madonna, at New York, from Marseilles.
Drottingholm, at New York, from Gothenburg.

Madonna, at New York, from Marseilles.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; northwest; 29.73; 37; smooth; 5 a.m. spoke City of Seattle, fifteen miles south of Ketchikan, south.

Sailed.

Red Star S.S. Kroonland, from Southampton December 11.

White Star S.S. Cretic, from Azores December 15.

AFTER STRIKING

Marshfield, Ore., Dec. 20.—It was reported from the coast Sunday that the steamer Svea, which struck twice on Saturday night, while getting out of Coos Bay, proceeded South, apparently not seriously damaged. She lost her deckload after grounding on both spits, and worked herself free.

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CANADIAN WIRELESS

Cape Lazo-Overcast; calm; 29.88; 35; smooth; 9.10 p. m. spoke leffer-

GOVERNMENT REPORT

White Star S.S. Lapland, at Antwerp New York, from Havre.

La Savoie, at New York, fr

Triangle Island—Rain; calm; 29.95; 42; moderate.

Alert Bay-Cloudy; calm; 29.95;

Point Grey—Misty; calm; 29.88; 40; thick seaward. Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 29.96; 47; smooth; 10.20 a. m. spoke Princess Mary, Seymour's Narrows, southbound.

Estevan-Foggy; calm; 29.86; 40;

smooth.

Triangle Island—Cloudy; northwest; light; 29.96; 41; moderate; 9.50
a. m., spoke Admiral Rodman, Queen
Charlotte Sound, southbound.
Dead Tree—Cloudy; southwest;
light; 29.92; 40; smooth. Prince Rupert - Cloudy; calm; 29.81; 42; smooth,

VICTORIAN BRINGS MANY

St. John, N. B., Dec. 20.—The C. P. O. S. liner Victorian arrived here yesterday morning with 413 second class and 722 third class passengers from Liverpool and Havre. A large number of the passengers were for Montreal and points in the West.

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

MERON-To Mr. and Mrs. Cameron (nee Lotus Griffit 19, at the Victoria Private son. Both doing well.

DIED. PALLISER—On December 18, suddenly, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Elizabeth Ann Palliser, beloved wife of Mr. Hugh Palliser, of the Old Schoolhouse at Craigflower Bridge.

The funeral will take place of Tuesday, the 21st inst., at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. M. T. Habershon will officiate. Interment in Ross Bay-Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

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REPLIES TO PREMIER

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direct negotiations with the official head of the Irish nation—president de Valera. This is the only possible road to that reconciliation which vitally interests both mations."

Lleyd George's Answer.

Tremer Lloyd George replied as follows:

"I bind hoped that with moderation and commonsense on both sides, it might have been possible to reach an inderstanding which would put a atop to strife in Ireland, and pave the way to a reconciliation. You now imply in your judgment the only road to peace is the recognition of an Irish Republic. and the negotiation of a treaty with someone you designate as the official head and president of that republic.

"I have never failed to make it clear that there is no possibility of a settlement so long as the Sinn Fein demands an Irish republic and that though I am willing to explore every ascenate toward an honorable, constitutional settlement, there is no road to peace so long as the Sinn Fein demands an Irish republic and that though I am willing to explore every ascenate toward an honorable, constitutional settlement, there is no road to peace so long as the Sinn Fein demands an Irish republic and that though I am willing to explore every ascenate toward an honorable, constitutional settlement, there is no road to peace so long as the Sinn Fein persista in trying to compel any settlement by means of assassination and violence. The only way to peace is that the leaders of the Sinn Fein should recognize these fundamental facts: their present policy is only leading ireland ever nearer the chaos and ruin.

"I deeply regret that you should close the door, to these counsels of goodwill which you invoked at the beginning of this correspondence."

Toronto, Dec. 20.—The Canadian Press has collected the following editorials dealing with the abolition of the luxury tax which has been in form suppended the provisions in the act were extended to necessity and the luxury was absurdly drawn."

Troonto, Mail and Empire: The lux

CHRISTMAS TREE

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Charles Copas of Elora, Ont., a lad still in his teens, with his junior yearling steer. Matchless Pete, won the highest award at the Guelph Winter Fair, the grand champion-ship ribbon. The victorious steer had been fed by young Copas since it was a calf.

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MAYOR GALE PRESENTS RELIEF PLAN TO CABINET

(Contfiued from page 1.)

No Food, Want To Go To Jail. say they would take any job where, or at any kind of we

where, or at any kind of work in Vancouver or in British Columbia. Failing this they want to go to jail, where they will be given food.

"These men are not of the floater type, but rather of the kid-glove variety, such as accountants. And many of them have families. One prominent man came into me with only 16 cents in his pocket and explained that was all he had. He had come down town and left his wife and children at home without a bit of food in the house."

Dangerous To Delay.

of food in the house."

Dangerous To Delay.
"Conditions are all that Mayor
Gale says and perhaps a little more,"
said Mrs. Raiph Smith. "The claim
he sets up for the city is very reasonable in view of all that has to be
faced over there."
"Vancouver has been the dumping
ground of B. C. as far as unemployment is concerned," said Capt. MacKenzie.

conditions."

Predicts Trouble.

"The attitude of the men is that they want to earn something with which they can buy food, rather than to have charity doled out to them," said Alderman Crane, chairman of the unemployment and relief committee. "If you were to see some of the pitiable cases that I've seen, you would realize how urgent the need for help is."

Alderman F. P. Rogers, chairman of the Board of Works, endorsed Mayor Gale's proposal for road construction.

"I have heard men say in Vancouver that if they don't get assistance they will riot and I believe they will." said James H. Falconer, president of the B. C. Manufacturers' Association. "And they are not reds, but old responsible residents of Vancouver."

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Kerr Holgate and Col, Dorrell, representing the Property Owners' Association of Vancouver, also attended the conference, and declared that their organization is in favor of the proposals put forward by Mayor Gale "We feel as representing the property owners in Vancouver that the suggestion put forward by Mayor Gale is one that should receive support," said Col. Dorrell.

APPARENTLY.

It may have been excluded from the treaty of Versailles, but just the same the girls seem to be in-sisting upon the freedom of the knees.—Washington Post.

WELL DONE ON THE GRIDIRON "What's your favorite wild game? "Football."-Boston Transcript.

"Do you think it healthy to keep your hogs in the house?" a social investigator asked the native. "Waal, I dunno," he drawled. "But I been a-keepin' my hawgs there for fourteen years, and I ain't never lost one of 'em yet."—American Legion Weekly.

\$7,037.25 Cifts in kind: Wilkinson Road G.C. I.T., dolls: Anonymous, childs' coats and caps; Mrs. Ralph Harvey, wax flowers; Mrs. Hill-Tout, sack of po-tatoes. Gifts in kind: Wilkinson Road G.C.
LT., dolls: Anonymous, childs' coats and caps; Mrs. Ralph Harvey, wax flowers; Mrs. Hill-Tout, sack of potatoes.
All subscription lists are now closed.



Town Crier of Dover for 50 years, Mr. Charles Becker, aged 87, has been re-appointed.

Essex County Council are purchas-ing Hare Hall, with ten acres, for use as a secondary school for boys.

Miss Laura E. Start has been ap-pointed Dean of the Faculty of Edu-cation of the University of Man-chester.

The Pittsburg, a triple-screw vessel of 15,600 tons, for the American Line, was launched at Belfast.

A deficit of nearly £1,000 on the recent games at Antwerp is reported by the treasurer of the British Olympic Association.

Mr. Augustus Shears, barrister, Middle Temple, has been found dead at Westeliff. A bottle which had contained prussic acid was on the dressing table.

Mother of Mr. Matheson Lang, the actor, Mrs. Gavin Lang (widow of Rev. Gavin Lang, cousin of the Arch-bishop of York) has died at Inver-ness, aged 85.

Sentenced to death on Ooctober 27 for the murder of his 13 year-old daughter at Corton, near Lowestoft, William John Howes, 42, fisherman, has been reprieved.

Mr. Cairns, the magistrate at Thames Police Court, stated that he had noticed a great increase in the number of women charged with being drunk in public places.

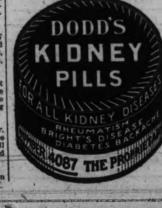
vedon (Essex) farm laborer has just been turned up by a harrow after "escaping" three ploughings.

In a war memorial "Book of Re-memberance" issued by the Enfield Grammar School there is a map of the western front showing the grave of each old boy killed in the war.

Owing to the increases in the cost of living and in travelling expenses. Kensington, W., clergy ask that fees for third-class private interments and common interments be increased by half.

During the ringing of a muffled peal at Sandbach, Cheshire, parish church, the tenor bell, weighing 18cwt, fell with a crash on the beams the wheel of another bell being smashed.

Sir Merton Russell Cotes, who has already presented East Cliff Hall Art Gallery and Museum to Bourne-





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Approximately 3,700 officers and men are still serving in France, and the expenditure, including the cost of local labor, is about £100,000 a month, said Sir. A. Williamson in Parliament. Following the decision of the Army Council in the case of officers, the Treasury has decided that adverse reports hitherto strictly confidential must be communicated to the individual concerned.

Bound over at Bristol for driving his wife and children naked into the street twice during the night, Albert Edward Lake, 49. said he was all right, apart from something that made him feel he could not work.

Six men (five of them ex-Service men) and a woman were at Ramsgate comitted for trial at the Kent Assizes on charges arising from the recent disturbances in connection with the loading of a German vessel at the port.

Stars and medals for war service must be worn in the following order: 1914 or 1914-1915 Star, British War Medal, Mercantile Marine War Medal, Victory Medal, Territorial Force War Medal, India General Service Medal (for operations against Afganistan, 1919).

For stealing bonds and cheques from St. James's street branch of Lloyd's Bank, Frank W. Jones, 22, said to have held a commission in the Army and to have been discharged suffering from mustard gas, was sentenced to 22 months' hard labor at the Old Balley, to run concurrently with the 15 months' hard labor he had been given for breach of his recognisances.

Word has just reached Lethbridge, Alberts, from Foremost, that while Luther Sheets was cleaning out a well on his farm, he stuck fast in the sand. A rope was secured around his body, and every effort made to save him but to no avail and he sank before the eyes of his wife and child.

Presumably as a result of heart disease resulting fram the excitement of watching the city championship boxing bouts. Albert F. Smith. aged 63, dropped dead as he was leaving the Calgary armories. Deceased went to Calgary from Swalwell, Alta.



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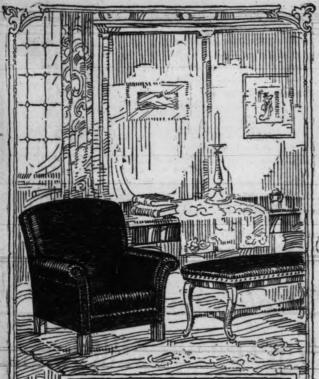
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PROPOSED EMBARGO Producers Fear Stagnation in Allis-Chalmers

Ottawa. Dec. 20.—(Canadian Press)
—That there is considerable alarm throughout Canada over the possibility of the United States Congress yielding to the demands being made across the border for the placing of an embargo on the importation of food stuffs is indicated by telegrams received by Government and the heads of the Government departments. In the Maritime Provinces the people are particularly alarmed over the prospect of potatoes being shut out of the United States as it is realized that the loss of the chief market for the United States as it is realized that the loss of the chief market for the leading product of Maritime Provincer farms would mean stagnation for the agricultural industry of the Provinces The situation would be no less alarming for the wheat and catfle industry of the Western Provinces were an embargo to become effective.

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In official circles, however, there is a disposition to doubt the possibility of the United States Congress yielding to the pressure for the prohibition of importation of products of the farm. Canada is one of the best customers the United States has, and it is not generally believed that Congress will sanction legislation which would have the effect of seriously disturbing trade intercourse between the two countries.

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be considered by the special committee which will meet this afternoon. Construction of the Esquimalt drydock, it is agreed, is the most important proposal. An immediate start on the dock, it is realized, would go a long way toward solving the present problem and would mean more, under present conditions, than any of the other projects suggested. The committee will consider also the possibility of the Canadian National Railways commencing to grade land on the old Songhees Reserve in preparation for the establishment of a permanent station there. It is probable that representations on this proposal will be made to D. B. Hanna, President of the Canadian National Railway. (Continued from page 1.)

Would Build Houses.

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A proposal, advanced at Saturday's meeting by Alderman W. J. Sargent, that houses be built with Government assistance on land taken over by the city at tax sales, will be discussed by the committee. Alderman Sargent pointed out to the other gentlemen present at the meeting that the city owned some 700 lots which had-reverted to the Corporation at tax sales. The best of these, he thought; should be selected and some twenty houses built upon them with the financial backing of the Provincial Government. These dwellings, he said, could be disposed of when completed, and during construction considerable employment would be provided and the lumber industry, now almost idle, would be encouraged.

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It has been pointed out too, that the city has \$25,000 left of its allegation under the Better Housing Scheme, and might spend this sum on useful work.

Among other proposals to be considered are the installation of a spur line of the Canadian National Railways from the Reserve to the Outer Docks, road work on the Malahat drive and installation of salt water swimming baths.

Outer Decks, road work on the Malawater swimming baths.

Depends on Government.

The gentlemen who are making
this effort to relieve the unemptoyment situation state that the success of their efforts will depend to a
great extent upon the Provincials
its \$256,000 relief fund, for the Corporation has practically no money
to spend on work of any kind.

The delegation which will meet
Premier Oliver to-morrow morning
will consist of Mayor Porter, Reveoff Oak Bay, Reve watson of Sanich, J. B. Clearihue, M. P. P.-elect,
and Canon Hinchilfe, M. P. P.-elec

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CANADIAN BACON TO BE DECONTROLLED IN BRITISH ISLES

London, Dec. 20.—(Canadian Associated Press) — Canadian bacon will be decontrolled in the British Isles at the end of February. The entire Canadian bacon output has been acquired by the Ministry of Food to the end of December, and as two months must elapse for the bacon to be cured and reach here, the arrangement now announced really means a free market for Canadian bacon killed after the end of the year.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg. Dec. 26.—The undertone to the wheat market to-day was moderately weaker and the volume of business ware very light. The cash demander was a summed an anticolour of the wind of the weaker and the volume of business was well-maintained the cash premium was marrowing throughout the session and Ne. I Nor. closed 1 cent over, No. 2 Nor. 2 cents and Ne. 2 Nor. 6 cents under. The cash pestition almost reached the pelati where deliveries will be made on assumed an attitude of waiting for the result of the recommendation to Congress for the renewal of duty on wheat going into the United States and what effect it will have on prices. Prices locally, which were ranging lower throughout the session, made a little revery near the close. Putures Coarse grains continued dull and very little attention is given to those grains. Oats closed % to ½ cent lower; barley 2 Victory Loan, 1924 (control of the control of th

Barley-2 C. W. 90; * 1; track, 5. W. 191; 2 C. W. 192; 2 Fiax-1 N. W. 191; 10: ondemned, 156; track, 136. Rys-2 C. W. 151. % % % MONTREAL MARKET.

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WHOLESALERS SAY **CLOTHING TO SOAR**

Bottom Prices Reached, Declare Toronto Dealers

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PLAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURE

Important Issue Will Be Before Island Farmers' Institutes Next Month

receiving of resolutions from the In-stitutes and addresses by the Hon-orable the Minister of Agriculture, the Deputy Minister and others. It is proposed to close the Conference with a dinner on the second day.

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Sătisfactory Progress.

"The Advisory Board," says the Convention call, "has achieved satisfactory progress with the matters recommended to the Government. The land clearing situation is very greatly improved as ameasure for cheapening powder will be introduced at the coming session. Arrangements will be made so that progressive credit loans to small holders and settlers who have hitherto not been able to take advantage of the Act will be placed in a position to do so. Further extension of the district representative system will be provided for in the estimates and your district can bring down recommendations as to the need for this in your own locality.

"Will you instruct your delegates, also, to be prepared to support the Advisory Board in connection with the Oriental problem, the encouragement of the sheep industry, the extension of the co-operative movement, extension of the telephone system and assuring a future for The Agricultural Jourgal.'

Council of Agriculture.

"The Advisory Board recommended that one delegate to every twenty

Council of Agriculture.

"The Advisory Board recommended that one delegate to every twenty members of your Institute should be appointed and their expenses paid out of the funds of their own Institute. It is proposed to pool the expenses and thus relieve thise coming from a distance, and it will be possible to give slight assistance from the grant that is allowed towards the cost of calling the District Convention.

"It is proposed to discuss the incorporating of the Advisory Board or the creating of a Council of Agriculture to act provincially and under which the Institutes would come; at the same time this would be open to others to join. Insufficient replies have been received as to amalgamation proposals. Institutes are requesting the reopening of this subject."

MUST FIX POLICY ON REVERTED LAND

Council to Consider Disposal of Tax Sale Property

The City Council will be asked today to decide what it is going to do
with 687 parcels of land taken over
by the Corporation during recent tax
sales, but whether the Mayor and
aldermen will be able to reach any
definite decision on the question is
very doubtful. Action has been deferred so long that some of the aldermen have grown rather discouraged
and question whether it will be possible to get rid of the civic "white
elephant," as the land is called, for
long time yet.

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It is probable that the Council call into consultation members of the Real Estate exchange to investigate the value of the reverted lands. The view of the Real Estate members will act as a check upon the valuations placed upon the properties by W. G. Cameron, special land valuator. Mr. Cameron has completed his work of valuing the lands and will bring in his report on the matter Monday hight.

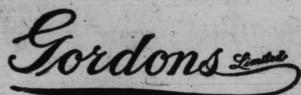


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